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BOER DEFEAT

LIEUT. GEN. LORD METHUEN, WHO LED THE BRITISH IN THE FIGHT AT BELMONT.

Gen. White Took No Guns

By Associated Press to The Sun.

ORANGE RIVER, Cape Colony, Friday, Nov. 24.—In all 101 wounded, including several Boers have arrived here from Belmont. One of the Boers a boy of 17 years of age, was compelled to take up arms with his father, who is a prisoner. A wounded Boer said that twenty men were selected from each Boer section to pick off the British officers. But, he added, on the advance of the British force the Boer marksmen were bewildered as it was impossible to distinguish the officers who wore the same equipment as the men. The marksmen were also unable to make out the sergeants and other non-commissioned officers whose stripes had been removed.

BOERS KILLED 500; WOUNDED 150.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LONDON, Nov. 25.—The Daily Mail publishes the following dispatch from Belmont, describing the battle:

"The Boers held a position which British troops would hold against almost any force. The British victory is complete. My estimate of the Boer losses is 500 killed and 150 wounded. Mr. Knight, correspondent of the London Morning Post, was wounded. The Boer prisoners are ignorant, dirty and wretched. They say that half their commando, tired of the war, will refuse further service. The whole force of the fearful fight was borne by the infantry who were obliged to climb 600 feet straight into a terrific stream of missiles. The 9th lancers pursued the enemy with great vigor but the Boers well mounted and familiar with the hills, melted before them. Possibly, however, our victory would have been more decisive had we possessed more cavalry."

NO BOER GUNS TAKEN.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

DURBAN, Nov. 24.—An official message from General White at Ladysmith, dated Nov. 22, says:

"Situation unchanged. The troops well and cheerful."

DEATHS.

WITHERELL—Sidney Witherell, aged 36 years, died at St. John's hospital yesterday. He lived at 8 Cambridge street and was an employe of the Boston and Maine railroad company.

WRIGHT.—Mrs. Judith W. Wright, her 24, aged 86 years, at the residence widow of Joel B. Wright, died November of her son-in-law, Rufus O. Adams, 46 Twelfth street. She had been in feeble health for the last eight years. She leaves two daughters, Mrs. Adams and Mrs. Ella Simmons.

TREMBLEY—Leon Trembley, aged 94 years, died yesterday morning at his late residence, 553 Market street.

MORSE—Loretta May, aged 2 years, 6 months and 2 days, daughter of William J. and Esther H. Morse, died yesterday morning at the home of her parents, 240 Boylston street.

BROWN—John, aged 1 year and 5 months, son of John and Nellie Brown, died this morning at the home of his parents, 17 Bolton place, off Franklin street. The funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock.

SCOTT—Ray, aged 4 years and four months, child of Frank and Martha Scott, died this morning at the home of his parents, 6 Hereford place, off Marshall street.

SMOKE STACK

TO BE ERECTED AT HUNTINGTON HALL.

The steam plant for the heating of Huntington and Jackson halls is progressing rapidly, and when completed will probably be the finest and most complete, as well as the largest, heating plant in the city. The boilers are already in position, the brick work is completed, and the boiler used is of Lowell manufacture and the largest of its kind in use. The boiler room is located immediately under the Shattuck street entrance, over which is the chimney. This is to be made of boiler plate, wrought iron, securely riveted and its total height will be sixty-five feet, with a hood attachment, and will probably be erected tomorrow. It will run up alongside of the Shattuck street entrance, and will do away with the necessity of building a brick chimney. It is considered the largest smoke stack which was ever constructed in this city.

FUNERALS.

CARPENTER—The funeral of Joseph Carpenter, child of George and Helene Carpenter, took place yesterday afternoon at 1 o'clock, from the home of his parents, 1 Merrimack avenue, off Merrimack street. Interment was in St. Joseph's cemetery, under the direction of Underaker Archambault.

O'NEIL—The funeral of Mrs. Mary O'Neil took place yesterday afternoon from her late residence, 88 Bowlen street, and was largely attended. Services were held at the Sacred Heart church, Rev. Fr. Reynolds, O. M. I., officiating. The body was sent to Attleboro Falls for interment by Undertaker McDermott.

DUFF—The funeral of Catherine Duff will take place Monday morning at 9 o'clock from St. Peter's church.

Mayor Crowley was not at city hall today.

Secretary Courtney of the overseers of the poor is confined to his home for a few days with a severe cold. He expects to be around again Monday.

Now is the time when the office-holders are figuring out their chances for re-election and sizing up the strength of the tickets.

See Here

These are the actual conditions: We bought the cloth for a thousand Reefers and had them made last summer during the dull season. Since then the prices have gone up over 40 per cent. The garments that we had made to sell for $2.48, we couldn't buy them wholesale for that price at the present time. The same with our large stock of Boys' Top Coats, but as long as our present stock lasts, (and it won't be long under these conditions) we will sell:

$1.75 Boys' Reefers, 3 to 8 years, for $2c.

$2.50 Boys' Reefers, 3 to 8 years, for $1.78.

$2.50 Boys' Reefers, 8 to 16 years, for $2.48.

$5.00 Boys' Long Lamb's Wool Chinchilla Reefers for $3.85.

$6.00 Boys' Irish Frieze and Germania Chinchilla Reefers, for $4.65.

$4.00 Boys' Top Coats for $2.85.

$5.00 Boys' Top Coats for $3.98.

$6.00 Boys' Top Coats for $4.25.

$7.50 Boys' Top Coats for $4.98.

Don't wait until our present stock is exhausted. With a steadily advancing market it will be impossible to sell our next invoice at this price.

'A Word to the Wise is Sufficient'

Lowell One-Price Clothing Company.

72-88 MERRIMACK STREET.

ADVANCE ON DEC. 11

Fall River River Operatives Win a Great Victory

In Securing an Increase at the Time Fixed by Them—A Compromise That Averts the Danger of a Strike

By Associated Press to The Sun.

FALL RIVER, Nov. 25.—As a result of the conference yesterday afternoon between the representatives of the manufacturers and the labor organizations an agreement was reached which will probably settle any further controversy of the wage question for the next six months and possibly lead to the adoption of a plan later on which in its operations will provide for future changes in the wage schedule without any of the friction and disturbing features that are incident to the periodical agitation of that subject under existing conditions and practices.

The conclusion reached today is in the nature of a compromise in which each side has yielded something material to the other from its original demand.

The operatives consent to a modification of their claim for a 10 per cent. advance to one of 5 per cent., while the manufacturers retreat from their former position in refusing to concede any increase.

Both sides agree that wages shall not be disturbed before July 1, 1900, and that work on a sliding scale shall begin immediately and be settled within 60 days previous to July 1, 1900.

The conference lasted three hours. The discussion was for the most part over the amount of increase to be granted. In the end the following agreement was drawn up and signed by the secretaries of the unions and by the manufacturers:

"It is agreed to recommend to our respective organization an advance of wages of 5 per cent. on Dec. 11, 1899. No change in wages is to be made therafter before July 1, 1900, and the sliding scale shall be immediately taken up and settled within 60 days previous to July 1, 1900."

When the conference opened the operatives told the manufacturers that they could not accept the proposition made at the last conference, that they could not bind themselves to accept any sliding scale until the wage question was first settled.

The manufacturers, after a long discussion made a proposition to advance wages 5 per cent. on Jan. 1st, unconditionally, but with the understanding that a sliding scale would afterward be considered and adopted.

The operatives retired and considered this proposition. They returned and offered a counter proposition, making the date at which the advance should go into effect Dec. 11th, instead of Jan. 1st, and changing the date at which wages could be advanced again to April instead of July. The idea was to make the changes in the scale of wages come in April and October, instead of January and July.

The manufacturers would not agree to this; they wanted wages fixed at this time, so the scale would last until July; they thought April would be too soon to make a change again.

The operatives then asked that the date at which the advance should go into effect be changed to Dec. 11, instead of Jan. 1, and after the manufacturers had retired and reconsidered this for some time they returned and offered the agreement above, which was signed.

The labor men held out for a long time for a 10 er cent advance to take effect Dec. 11, but the manufacturers refused to grant a 10 per cent. advance. They plainly told the union men that they would stand a strike rather than submit to this demand.

There was a great deal of sparring on this point, but it always came out that way.

When the final proposition was submitted the manufacturers said this was the last concession they would make; it was a case of take it or leave it.

The delegates of the textile council considered it wise to agree to recommend that it be accepted. They felt that they had gained a considerable concession when they had the date of the advance changed from Jan. 1 to Dec. 11. This means that at least $30,000 will go into the pockets of the operatives as a Christmas present, for the operatives will get three weeks more of the 5 per cent advance than they would if the advance did not go into effect until Jan. 1, and 5 per cent of the payroll for three weeks amounts to about $30,000.

The manufacturers' association and the several labor organizations will now be asked to ratify this agreement. If they do, and it is probable they will, the incident will be closed and the new schedule will go into effect at the time named.

At a meeting of the textile council tonight, which lasted two hours, the report of the committee of five in consultation with the manufacturers this afternoon was accepted with a vote of thanks.

A motion was carried with but one dissenting vote to recommend to the respective unions the advisability of accepting the manufacturers' offer. It was voted to recommend to the unions to meet simultaneously next Friday night and take action.

The council adjourned last night subject to a call of the president.

REP. CANDIDATE

HAD HARMONY BOTTLED AND ON THE SHELF AT SEN. PUTNAM'S.

Senator Putnam last night held the second in the series of harmony dinners at his home in Centralville. Those present were Messrs. Hayes, Wilson, Bennett, Rose, Poore and others, and the "and others" in this case were quite numerous, for Put, as the candidate could hardly risk being as exclusive as Mr. Rose. Plans of campaign were arranged and every one told how much he would work for the ticket. All hatchets were buried—with the handles protruding from the ground for an emergency. It has been suggested that by the time the candidates get through with their harmony dinners and school boy trips to Boston, they'll be in condition to "write the doctor" rather than Mr. Rose, for there'll be a most painful lack of harmony in their minds.

MATRIMONIAL.

Mr. James T. Sullivan of Lowell and Miss Della F. Sexton, formerly of Lowell, were united in matrimony on Wednesday last at Hull, Rev. Fr. Roach performing the ceremony. The best man was Mr. Clement McGowan and the bride was attended by her cousin, Miss Kittie Gallagher of Lowell. Friends were present from New York, Boston and Lowell. Many beautiful presents were received by the happy couple, who will reside in Hull.

DEVLIN—DONAHUE.

Mr. John J. Devlin and Miss Elizabeth A. Donohue were united in marriage Wednesday afternoon at 4.30 o'clock at the parochial residence of St. Peter's parish by Rev. Fr. George Mullin. The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Annie T. Donahue, and the best man was Mr. Michael W. Mulcahy. A reception was held immediately after the ceremony at 58 Tyler street, where the young couple will reside on their return from a bridal trip to Washington. Mr. Devlin is a popular member of the Y. M. C. I. of Belvidere.

BROKE HIS ANKLE

THOMAS SCANNEL GOT HIS FOOT CAUGHT IN A STEP.

This morning at about half past six the ambulance was summoned to the rear of 139 East Merrimack street, where a man named Thomas Scannel, residing at 139 Colburn street, in coming down a flight of steps got his foot caught in a hole, throwing him with considerable force to the ground. He was taken to St. John's hospital, where it was found that his ankle was broken. His ankle was dressed by the doctors in attendance, and at the time of going to press he was resting comfortably.

SCHOONER SUNK

WAS RUN DOWN BY UNKNOWN BOAT.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW LONDON, Conn., Nov. 25.—The schooner Lillie A. Warford, Captain Handy, Edgewater, N. J., for Marlon, Mass., with 240 tons of coal, was run into by an unknown three-masted schooner, near Faulkner's Island, during the night and sunk. Captain Handy and four men took the yawl boat and were picked up by schooner Frank Leaming, Captain Campbell, bound for this port and brought in here this morning. Captain Handy stated that the boat that sunk his vessel paid no attention to the signals of distress but left him and his crew to their fate. The Warford's top-masts are about 12 feet out of water. An attempt will be made to float the schooner.

Miss Helen Melvin of Derry, N. H., is the guest of Mrs. H. W. Hyde of Grove street.

ELEGANCE IS NOT EXTRAVAGANCE.

Quite the contrary; it pays to buy elegant clothing. But that does not justify a man to pay more for a fine suit or overcoat at one place than he can get it at another. The fact that our clothing department is so great a favorite with the stylish dressers of the town, proves conclusively that most men, while insisting on first-class clothing still want it at the lowest outlay of cost.

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$6 Box Raw Edge, Brown Kersey Overcoats

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Central and Middle Sts.

BARTENDER FINED

In $100 for Illegally Keeping Liquor

MRS. TIVNAN'S CASE CONTINUED

Antonio Dutra Found Not Guilty of Illegal Keeping

Peter Maguire was charged in the police court this morning with maliciously destroying clothes line, the property of Mrs. Michael Casey and valued at 85 cents. He pleaded guilty to the charge and the court imposed a fine of $3 which was paid.

Judge Hadley was on the bench and three drunks were arraigned.

Patrick Flannery, though an old offender, was let off with a fine of $6.

Another old offender was Charles H Quigley, who pleaded guilty to a charge of drunkenness. Quigley has lived with his mother in Centralville. She is about 79 years old and is blind. According to the testimony he has been very cruel to the old lady and several times has assaulted her. He has a long record and is said to be a common drunkard. He had nothing to say in his own behalf and the court sentenced him to the state farm at Bridgewater.

Annie Tivnan, charged with drunkenness and assault and battery on Constable R. J. Flynn, was continued in $100 for drunkenness and $200 for assault till next Saturday for trial.

Daniel J. Clark pleaded guilty to a charge of illegal keeping of liquor and was fined $100. He paid.

The complaint against Mary Latour charging her with assault and battery was dismissed upon the defendant's paying the costs of court, which amounted to $1.80. This was a continued case.

The continued case of Joseph Zuris, charged with embezzlement was put over to December 2.

The case of Esdrosse Couto, charged with non-support of his wife, was continued one month. This is the second continuance.

There were several liquor forfeitures.

The case of Harris Concles, a Greek, was placed on file. This is the case where the court refused to accept spotter evidence. The case was tried a week ago, but was not disposed of.

Antonio M. Dutra, was charged with illegal keeping of liquor. He had previously pleaded not guilty and was represented by D. J. Donahue, Esq.

Liquor Inspectors Duncan, Maher and McCann visited the defendant's room at 3 Molloy's court, off Summer street on the night of November 17 and found Dutra, who, by the way, is a Portuguese, and a number of his countrymen there. Dutra said the room was his. The inspectors found a considerable quantity of liquor which defendant claimed was his. He said he was treating the others. They also found a number of empty jugs in another room. Defendant was placed under arrest and at the police station $6.50 in money was found on his person.

The defendant testified in his own behalf. He said he purchased the liquor in Lawrence the Tuesday before he was visited by the liquor inspectors. He got it, he said, to give his friends a good time. It was the first time he had done this and he said he did not make the men pay for their liquor.

Five witnesses were in the room at the time of the inspectors' visit, and corroborated the testimony of the defendant.

The court ruled that there was not sufficient evidence to show that defendant sold the liquor or kept it for that purpose and accordingly found him not guilty and ordered him discharged.

The Unity club met yesterday afternoon with Mrs. Grace Hilton Gibson of Wilder street. It was voted to hold a sale Dec. 19th, at the home of Mrs. Frank E. Shaw, Tyler Park.

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If you elect us we promise to make you clothes that will make a satisfactory impression on your best girl.

LOUIS ALEXANDER
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Paul O. Kahle, Assistant.

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Money deposited Saturday, Dec. 2d, or before, in our Savings Department will draw interest from Dec. 1st at rate of 4 per cent per annum. Compounded semi-annually.

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Ladies' Entrance, 41 to 46 Middlesex Street

Thanksgiving

Let's hope that everyone will have Turkey. But turkey without the dressing would be insipid, and the dressing without

DOWS' SAGE

would be tasteless. The best way is to get the herbs from us. That's the surest way of securing unadulterated, uniform sage flavor. We also supply Summer Savory, Thyme and Marjoram.

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LIQUOR SEIZURE

A Bartender Caught Well Loaded

WITH BOTTLES OF WHISKEY

A Girl From Central Falls Sought Here

The saloon formerly kept by one Clark on Adams street was visited late yesterday afternoon by the liquor inspectors who caught the bartender, Daniel Clark with whiskey in his possession. When the inspectors arrived the bartender rushed to the end of the bar and seized a pint bottle almost full of whiskey but was caught before he could make away with it. When brought to the station and searched two more full pint bottles were found upon his person.

GIRL MISSING

Lillie Emma Burke, aged 14 years, left her happy home in Central Falls, R.I., about four weeks ago to come to Lowell to seek employment. It is not known whether she arrived here or not but her mother has not heard from her and would like to be informed as to her present whereabouts. It seems that the mother had an idea that Lowell was a small place and that she could come here and find her daughter without any trouble. She reached here yesterday and after trying in vain to gain some trace of the child, called at the police station last night to ask the assistance of the police. Any person knowing the child's whereabouts will please communicate with Mrs. Burke, 28 Robeson street, Lowell.

HOME DESTROYED

The Howard Industrial Home at Bridgewater

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BRIDGEWATER, Mass., Nov. 25.—The Job Howard Industrial Home for Discharged Criminals, which was opened October 19, was destroyed by fire during the night.

The cause of the fire is not known. All the inmates escaped safely. The home idea grew out of the mission which was established in Boston for the assistance of those who have been in prison and after their release found difficulty in obtaining work.

"This is all a bluff about finding a diamond pin in a turkey crop, but it is no bluff when we tell you that you can save tons of black diamonds if you had one of Gaynor & Co.'s heating stoves. Call at 35 Prescott street and get prices. We can please you.

NAVY YARD FIRE

Destroyed an Historic Building

AT THE NAVY YARD THIS MORNING

The Loss Will Probably Exceed $100,000

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BOSTON, Nov. 25—One of the oldest buildings in the Charlestown Navy yard, a building which has witnessed for many years, the evolution of the ship building art, was reduced to a smouldering pile by fire this morning. It was that known as the "Plater's building," which, back in the early 70's was known as the "Bending mill."

About 8 o'clock this morning, Fireman William A. Perry, hearing an explosion, rushed out of the steam engineering building nearby and saw smoke rolling from out the platers' building. He immediately sounded an alarm which was followed 10 minutes later by a second alarm.

In the meantime, however, the Navy yard contingent had by no means been idle. The hands sent the "Fire Call" echoing through the great yard and in answer thereto, the Marine battalion stationed at the barracks and sailors from the Wabash and the Machias came tumbling out, ready for fire duty. They worked with a will and assisted the firemen to a considerable degree.

The building is a two and a half story wooden structure, 150 feet long and 70 feet wide, with an annex 100x50 and situated near the old ship buildings.

The fire was a stubborn one at first and threatened to spread to adjoining structures. In fact, several of them caught fire but through energetic work the flames were confined to the original building.

This, as has been stated was totally destroyed, and the valuable machinery which it contained, is practically ruined. The loss is estimated at between $75,000 and $100,000. No insurance was carried either on the burned structure or on the machinery, so that the loss will be total.

The fire boat Engine No. 9 poured tons of water into the fire and greatly aided progress of the blaze. An immense cloud of black smoke settled over the harbor, giving basis to rumors that the greater part of the yard was being consumed.

BIG STRIKE EXPECTED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

OMAHA, Neb., Nov. 25.—Indications are that every union job printer, pressman, press-feeder and book binder here, aggregating about 200 men, will strike next Monday. The trouble lies in the nine-hour day agreement, which is due to go into effect on that day.

PIANO PUZZLE.

KEY AT STEINERT'S.

Mammoth Music Store, 130 Merrimack street. Not only the leading store in Lowell but also in 17 other New England cities. Seven leading makes in different grades. All fully warranted. 25 years' experience. This counts for a good deal in the piano business. Take advantage of it and trade at Steinert's.

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Here's an Excellent Chance.

at a lot of fine Overcoats made by Rogers, Peet & Co., with a few of our own highest cost garments added.

Blue Whitney Beavers, Black Ratines, Olive mixed Esquimaux and light colored Box Cloths. These represent several of the most expensive lots of overcoats in our stock and have not sold rapidly on account of the great demand for grays. Every one of these garments is quite equal to the best produced here by a merchant tailor; are most of them lined with heavy worsted, have satin shoulders and sleeves.

Our prices until today have been $25 and $30. All are now offered at one figure,

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Breezy Patterns

In Fancy Dress Shirts.

We open this morning a new invoice of the most attractive fancy shirts that we have ever shown. Nothing resembling this collection has been seen and you'll not find these new ideas in other houses before next March. Stiff bosoms all over fancy bodies, vertical stripes and spaced figures, cuffs on or off.

Two qualities—

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166 Central Street.

AGUINALDO HIDES

Otis Says His Government is Disbanded

ITS TROOPS ARE ALL SCATTERED

And Its Officials are Missing

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 24.—General Otis summarizes the situation in Luzon in a dispatch to the war department today in which he says that the insurgent government can no longer claim to exist, its troops and officials are scattered and Aguinaldo is hiding. The dispatch follows:

"Manila, Nov. 24.—Claim to government by insurgents can be made no longer under any fiction. Its treasurer, secretary interior and president of congress in our hands. Its president and remaining cabinet officers in hiding, evidently in different central Luzon provinces. Its general and troops in small bodies scattered through these provinces acting as banditti or dispersed, playing the role of 'Amigos' with arms concealed. Indications are that Aguinaldo tried to escape through the lines of Lawton or Wheaton, but fled westward from Bayambang railroad station. Telegraphic communication to Dagupan established, probably to San Fabian today by relaying nine miles of track with material at hand railway communication that point re-established, labor of troops must attend maintenance.

RENOUNCES INSURRECTION.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

MANILA, Nov. 25, 8.50 p. m.—Bautista, president of the Filipino congress, presented himself to General MacArthur today and formally renounced all further connection with the insurrection. He was one of the influential Filipinos, who hesitated at the beginning of the war as to which side to cast his lot. He was offered a judgeship of the supreme court, but declined. He now announces that he desires to accept the position and says the Filipino congress has ceased; are scattered, never to reassemble. Some of the members, he added, have returned to their homes, while others are flying for safety. Many of the congressmen have resigned and he believes the Filipino soldiers will lay down their arms everywhere as soon as they learn the truth.

ADD 4 HD AGUINALDO HIDES.

Fuller details of the sharp engagement between Carpenter's command and the insurgents in Iloilo reached the war department today in the following dispatch from General Otis, dated Manila, today:

"In Panay, twenty-first instant, when Dickman drove enemy vicinity Jaro, Carpenter with two battalions Eighteenth Infantry and Brelgmen's battery had severe engagement at Pavia north Iloilo. His casualties five killed, twenty wounded, now in Iloilo hospital, others slightly wounded with command; enemy driven north with reported very heavy losses; particulars not received. Carpenter passed on to insurgents' stronghold, Santa Barbara, which he captured twenty-second instant without loss. Nothing received from column under immediate command Hughes, which is moving rapidly and operating north and west of Santa Barbara. Apparently, Visayans friendly not taking active part; enemy consists of 2000 Tagalos."

A later dispatch from General Otis gives the results of the fighting at Iloilo, as follows:

"Hughes at Iloilo reports enemy driven back into mountains; insurgent capital Cabatuan captured. Only serious action that of Carpenter at Pavia total casualties five killed or since dead of wounds, 27 wounded; captured 10 prisoners, eighteen cannon, six rifles, quantities of ammunition. Enemy's casualties not stated."

IN STATE

PUBLIC CAN VIEW VICE PRESIDENT'S BODY THIS AFTERNOON.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

PATERSON, N. J., Nov. 24.—The remains of Vice President Hobart were placed in the coffin at 9.30 this morning and the public will have a chance to view them this afternoon from 2 to 6 o'clock. The body has been removed from the room where the vice president died to the library where it will lie in state. The casket is of solid English quartered oak with heavy moulding and corner ornaments. The ornaments are after the Gothic style. There are eight handles to the casket, three on each side and one on each end. They are made of solid silver and are very massive. The casket has a metallic lining with tufted white satin body and satin pillow.

Col. Bright, sergeant-at-arms of the senate and friends of the Hobart family were working on the funeral arrangements until long after midnight, but were not ready this morning to make any official announcement of the details.

There will be 32 pall bearers, eight representing the United States senate, eight representing the house of representatives, eight personal pall bearers selected by Mr. Hobart, two months before his death, and eight members of the senate police, who will act as carrier bearers. It was originally proposed to form a procession from Carroll Hall to the Church of the Redeemer headed by President McKinley and the cabinet but Attorney General Griggs told the committee that the president would be exposed to danger in a large crowd. The president and cabinet will go to the church in carriages but the 32 pall bearers will walk to the church.

The Union League club of New York has asked for fifty tickets but on account of the limited capacity of the church, the club will have to be content with ten.

"Think of Ease But Work on."

If your blood is impure you may "work on" but you cannot even "think of ease." The blood is the greatest sustainer of the body and when you make it pure by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla you have the perfect health in which even hard work becomes ease.

Hacking Cough—*"I was troubled with dry hacking cough. One bottle of Hood's Sarsaparilla helped me and three bottles cured me and made me strong." George W. Bennum, Coolspring, Del.*

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Hood's Pills cure liver ills, the non-irritating and only cathartic to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

From Yesterday's Late Editions.

HE WAS STABBED

Constable Flynn Had a Lively Time on Broadway

TRIED TO EVICT TIVNAN FAMILY

And Met With a Warm Reception

Constable Richard J. Flynn had an exciting experience today. He went to Standring's court, off Adams street for the purpose of evicting James H. Tivnan and his family because of failure to pay their rent.

Tivnan was only released from the state farm a short time ago. He evidently expected the constable, for it is said he was in waiting with a hatchet and when Flynn opened the door, it is alleged that he made a plunge at him, but the constable quickly got out of the way and took to his heels. He went to his office on Broadway near the corner of Adams, and when he got there he found Tivnan waiting for him. He had a large bread knife in his hand and immediately attacked the constable and a struggle ensued, of which Flynn was having decidedly the better, and he had succeeded in putting one handcuff on his man. But just then Mrs. Tivnan came to her husband's rescue and she sailed into Flynn for keeps and succeeded in freeing her husband who took to his heels with one hand cuffed and made his escape. The woman, however, was nailed by the constable with the assistance of Officer Buchanan. She was under the influence of liquor and was sent to the station. The husband is still at large.

In the scuffle on Broadway, Flynn was used up pretty badly.

He had a cut over the eye, which he said was caused by a knife, and he lost his gold watch and chain, but that was later recovered. The scuffle attracted a large crowd of mill people, it being just about noon when it happened.

HELD IN $1000.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW YORK, Nov. 24.—Francois Bock, the jeweler of Providence, R. I., who was arrested here last Sunday on a charge of smuggling imitation pearls to the number of 1,750,000 waived examination today and was held in $1000 bail for the grand jury. He was unable to give bail and was sent to Ludlow street jail.

PALMERS—GLENMORES

WILL COME TOGETHER AT FAIR GROUNDS TOMORROW.

Tomorrow afternoon the Palmers and Glenmores, the two leading football elevens of the city, will meet at the Fair Grounds and there do battle to decide the championship. A great game is anticipated.

Both teams have put in considerable preliminary practice and are fit to play the game of their lives. There is an old rivalry existing between these two teams, which will serve to make the game all the more interesting. The Glenmores were formerly the champions of the city, but they lost that title last season when they lost two consecutive games to the Palmers, who then became the champions. The latter eleven has not been defeated once this season and have been playing a fine game. The Glenmores however, are confident they can retrieve the laurels lost last year. It will be the first meeting of the teams this season.

FIVE PERSONS DROWNED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

SEATTLE, Wash., Nov. 24.—Further but meagre advices of the drowning November 11 of five people in the Yukon, above Ogilvie, have been received by the steamer City of Seattle. The dead are: Two McNamaras, brothers; a man named Kelly, Mrs. Drumbelton and Mrs. Randall. There is no authentic account of how the catastrophe occurred.

PENSION CHANGES.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 24.—The following Massachusetts pension changes, resulting from the issue of November 10, are announced:

Original—Charles Lloyd, East Cambridge, $12; Charles W. Houghton, Clinton, $6.

Increase—Moury L. Andrews, Taunton, $12 to $17; John Handlin, East Pepperell, $8 to $17; Cornelius G. Baker, Georgetown, $8 to $12; George Cummings, Fall River, $6 to $8; Newell A. Cram, Lowell, $8 to $12; (Special, Nov. 13.) Alwin S. Gaston, Paxton, $12 to $72.

Original widows, etc—Ruhamah A. Marshall, East Douglass, $8; Sarah King, Lowell, $8 (Nov. 9) Minors of Michael F. Doherty, Charlestown, $12.

GIRLS ESCAPE

MADE A LIVELY EXIT FROM BURNING BUILDING.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LYNN, Mass., Nov 24—Fire broke out in the four story woolen building owned and occupied as a paper box factory by George H. Allen, catching from an overheated shafting box, in the top story. Some fifty girls employed in the factory escaped without difficulty. The loss, principally on damaged stock, is over $5000; fully covered by insurance.

WANTS TREATY REVISED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

ST. PETERSBURG, Nov. 24.—The Novoe Vremya today says that Count Mouravieff, the minister of foreign affairs, has suggested a revision of the treaty of commerce between Russia and the United States.

CAUGHT IN BELT

NELSON BOODY GOT BADLY BRUISED.

Nelson Boody, employed in the picker room of the Tremont and Suffolk mills was at work this morning at one of the pickers when the belt flew off. The belt wound around the shaft and Boody had his left leg and right arm caught in the belt. Those present expected to find him dead but on examination it was found that he was not badly hurt. The ambulance was summoned and it took him to the corporation hospital where his bruises were dressed and it was found that there were no bones broken but his leg and arm were badly bruised.

MELROSE CAUCUSES

FIRST HELD FOR THE NEW CITY GOVERNMENT.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

MELROSE, Nov. 24.—The Melrose republicans held their first municipal caucuses in the several wards of the city-to-be last night, and the returns were not all in till a very late hour.

The Hon. Levi S. Gould, chairman of the Middlesex board of county commissioners, who has been the moderator of town meetings for some 20 years, was nominated for mayor, over Sidney H. Buttrick, by a very large majority.

This was what was expected. Mr. Buttrick did not carry a single ward. He did not expect it. He intends, however, to run as independent republican candidate.

SEN. G. F. HOAR

Presides Over Reception to Tallon and Redmond

REVIEWS IRISH ASSISTANCE IN REVOLUTION

Vote of Sympathy With the Boers

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WORCESTER, Nov. 24.—There was a large gathering in Mechanics hall last night, in honor of Lord Mayor Daniel Tallon of Dublin and John E. Redmond, M. P., who spoke for the Parnell monument fund. The visitors were received by the Knights of Robert Emmet and the O'Connell associates. These organizations made the occasion an observance of the death of the Manchester martyrs as well as a reception to the visitors on their arrival at tonight.

The lord mayor and Mr. Redmond were received at the station by Mayor R. B. Dodge, Alderman T. J. Barrett, James H. Mellen and John J. Rogers. The Emmet guards, Co. G, 9th regiment and the uniformed companies of the Ancient Order of Hibernians turned out for escort. Mechanics hall was crowded and on the platform were seated members of the city government and presidents of the different Irish societies. James H. Mellen called the meeting to order and introduced Senator George F. Hoar as the presiding officer. Senator Hoar was given several rounds of cheers as he advanced to the platform. He said it would indeed be a cold heart that would not be stirred by such expressions of kindness. The two distinguished guests, he said, would be sufficiently noted if they had no other titles than those of a respected leader and a chief magistrate of a city which was the seat of learning when the rest of Europe had not emerged from the darkness of the dark ages.

"The people of Ireland and Massachusetts," Senator Hoar continued, "have had many tender ties in the past. When the English invaders held Boston, the Irish people sent money to help the colonists. Among our soldiers were many men of the gallant Irish race. The foremost defender of the colonies in parliament, next to Chatham, was an Irishman, and in recognition of that Irish kindness, when the British army marched out of Boston, bag and baggage, and the Americans marched in George Washington gave 'St. Patrick' as the watchword.

"Fully 40 per cent. of the people of city are of Irish birth or descent. They are Americans first, however. They love Ireland well, but America better; that feeling is no inconsistent with their American duties, but they are better because of it. In this hall I celebrated with Englishmen the jubilee of their queen, and again I celebrated with the Swedish people. The same instinct which is to be respected in them is to be respected in the Irish.

"The Irish people are ready to show their sympathy for all races and to indorse the principle that government gets its just powers from the consent of the governed. If Thermopylae was to be fought again there would be a considerable party sympathizing with the Persians.

"Tonight we honor a great leader in Parnell, who brought wisdom, courage, coolness, self-restraint and a capacity for leadership to the Irish cause, qualities in which no other leader can compare."

Lord Mayor Daniel Tallon was next introduced. He said he was proud of his countrymen in America and the high positions they held in all walks of life. He was glad to commemorate the memory of the Manchester martyrs, whose names will ever be revered by their countrymen. He said he came to perpetuate the memory of another great Irishman who gave all he had to his countrymen.

John E. Redmond, the next speaker, told the story of the deaths of Allen, Larkin and O'Brien, the Manchester martyrs which he characterized as among the most tragic ever written. It was a story of unselfish devotion to liberty.

"The victims were poor and humble, and although not great soldiers or statesmen, their names will live as heroes and martyrs as long as Irish history is read.

"In 1867 the Irish people tried to win their liberty by the sword. It may have been a foolish attempt, but it was a most gallant one. Two Fenian leaders were arrested and brought to Manchester in a police van. An attempt was made by a band of 40 men to rescue the prisoners. The police fled, and the shot which was fired to break the lock killed the policeman in the van. Five of the band were tried and convicted, but two were reprieved. As the five stood in the dock, they clasped hands and uttered the words, "God save Ireland," which have since been the motto of nationalist societies.

"There is a close connection between these men and Parnell, because it was the sufferings of these men and their associates that inspired Parnell to the work of driving landlordism from Ireland and elevating his people."

Mr. Redmond told the story of Parnell's work and the growth of power of the Irish party, and how he compelled England to listen to the grievances of Ireland before any other legislation could be accomplished. Today the land is owned by the people instead of by landlords.

Resolutions were read by James H. Mellen, indorsing the movement for a monument of Parnell, and also extending sympathy to the Boers in their struggle for liberty.

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ANOTHER CONFERENCE

TO SETTLE WAGE QUESTION IN FALL RIVER.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

FALL RIVER, Mass., Nov. 24.—Secretary C. C. Rounseville announced this morning that there would be a conference this afternoon between the committees representing the Manufacturers 'association and the operatives in furtherance of a settlement of the wage question. The committees will meet in the rooms of the Manufacturers 'association at 2.30 p. m.

MEXICANS TO BLAME.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Nov. 24.—Julius Randall, a mine operator from the state of Sonora, Mexico, says the war between the Mexican government and the Yaquis will last for two years. Owing to the Mexican censorship, he says, the true state of affairs has not been revealed. The desire of the Mexicans for the Yaquis land is the principal cause of the war, in his opinion.

BOER PRISONERS RELEASED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

PRETORIA, Nov. 24.—It is believed that the government will shortly release Winston Churchill as a non-combatant. The prisoners from Mafeking and Lobatsie are mostly railroad men. After they had taken the oath not to fight against the Transvaal, they were sent to Delagoa Bay.

AFTER MINISTER

Accused of Alienating Affections of Two Women

CHARGES AGAINST REV. T. CARSON HANNA

Young Men Mourn Loss of Fiancees

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WATERBURY, Conn., Nov. 24.—The disruption in the Baptist church at Union City, which reached a climax in the meeting of the council last night, followed charges brought by two well-known young men that the young pastor, a polished minister and a graduate of Yale, had alienated the affections of their respective fiancees.

The charges against the popular young minister have created a profound sensation, and the entire population of Union City awaited with intense interest the action of the council last night.

Rev. T. Carson Hanna is the pastor in question. He is 28 years old and popular. He was educated at Yale, and the university of Pennsylvania. The trouble dates from a church sociable some time ago, at which the parson met many of the members of the congregation. He was attracted by two in particular, Miss Etta Simmons and Miss Irene Squires.

Miss Squires says the parson became infatuated with her, and that after the sociable he frequently called on her. On these occasions, she says, he kissed her, and when she upbraided him he drew a revolver and asked her to shoot him. Upon her refusal, she says, he threatened to shoot himself.

He next bestowed his affections, according to the testimony, upon Miss Simmons, and it was the close friendship of the two which brought out the story. The claims for alienation of affections, brought by Charles Houseknict and Floyd Wooster, fiances of Miss Simmons and Miss Squires, respectively, brought the matter to a head. They say the minister displaced them in the affections of the young women.

The charges came like the discharge of a bombshell, and the church was divided into two factions over the matter. A large part of the congregation rallied to the support of the pastor and declared their firm belief in his innocence.

They think he is a victim of cruel persecution, while, on the other hand, not only the two young men who claim to have been cut out by the minister, but the young women, maintain that the charges are true.

The parson was asked to make a denial of the accusation, but has insisted that he should say nothing until the close of tonight's hearing. He says the charges are utterly false. The council will sit until 12 tonight, and perhaps until late tomorrow morning, hearing the evidence in the case. The defense of the minister, if he makes one, will be presented in writing.

A prominent member of the church said today that the minister would testify that Miss Simmons requested him to leave his wife and elope with her; that the charges of the Simmons woman were actuated by revenge, and were due to her unrequited love for him.

In October, 1898, while temporarily filling the pulpit of the Baptist church at Plantsville, in which there was so much trouble recently on account of faith cure, Mr. Hanna fell from a wagon and was hurt.

Suspicion pointed to a near relative who was with him at the time, but when the preacher recovered consciousness he stated that the fall was due to an accident. A few days later it was found that Mr. Hanna had lost his memory.

After treatment in an institute he completely recovered. Many columns were printed about the case in the New York newspapers.

TO SUPERVISE

THE SCHOOL MUSIC OF BOSTON.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BOSTON, Nov. 24.—The school committee is about to create an important and remunerative office, and has under consideration the relative merits of two candidates, both of whom are now employed in the department as instructors in music. The question of text books and the publishers of text books is something of an issue, for the friends of the different publishing houses want that man appointed to the prospective office who will employ the methods of a friendly house.

What it is proposed to do is to appoint a director of music, who shall have full charge of this branch of public instruction. For years the teaching of music has been on a most unfavorable, if not wholly unfortunate basis. Supt. Seaver has more than once called attention to the subject in his annual reports, recommending some kind of consistent system in place of the varying methods that had been employed according to the bent and individual judgments of instructors.

EMPEROR WILLIAMS' RIDE.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WINDSOR, Eng., Nov. 24.—Emperor William went out riding this morning and after photographed with the empress. Their majesties attended the memorial service in honor of the late princess of Leiningen, in the private chapel of Windsor Castle, at which Queen Victoria was also present.

The emperor, the prince of Wales and the Duke of Connaught, started for Blenheim at noon to visit he Duke and Duchess of Marlborough.

GEN. ANDERSON

SAYS HE PRAISED AGUINALDO FOR HIS BRAVERY.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

CHICAGO, Nov. 24.—Major-General Thomas M. Anderson, commander of the department of the lakes, speaking of the address issued by the Filipino junta at Hong Kong, admitted that he had addressed Aguinaldo as "Commanding general, Philippine forces," and asked the assistance of Aguinaldo against "the common enemy."

General Anderson said: "It was a common form of salutation used by all generals commanding the United States troops during correspondence with the Philippine leader. All this correspondent is of record. I praised Aguinaldo for his bravery in fighting the common enemy in the same letter in which I stated my inability to recognize his civil authority."

The entire correspondent of General Anderson, as well as the correspondence of General Merritt with Aguinaldo is printed in the message of the president to the senate giving details of the treaty with Spain.

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NOTICE.

Lowell, Nov. 21, 1899.

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Democratic Aldermanic Ticket is Much Stronger Than Its Rival Ticket—Purchasing Agent Barrett Has an Easy Thing

The result of the republican caucuses Thursday night practically assures the election of a majority of the board of aldermen by the democrats, provided that the democracy votes straight, for barring Charles D. Paige in ward one and George H. Taylor in ward six, it cannot show a really strong candidate. But, furthermore, Paige's strength has never been tried outside of ward one, and it is not infrequent that men strong in their respective wards come to grief when they come before the entire city. Councilman Paige, while president of the common council, showed no particular ability, but he did show a rank partisan spirit which at times rendered his judgment decidedly unfair. He knew how to choke off any democrat who desired to be heard on a popular measure and worked his method often. He may get the entire republican strength, but is doubtful if any independent or democrat will support him.

Alderman Taylor is looking for a second term, with his eye on the mayoralty. Should he be re-elected he will be in the field next year for mayor, and for that reason some of the friends of Putnam and Hayes will strive to let him down this year, for they want the field clear to themselves, the caucuses of Thursday having finally disposed of John C. Wilson.

Councilman Badger goes into the field somewhat handicapped by reason of the fact that his candidacy froze out Alderman Derby, who wanted another term. Badger did little harm and less good in the common council this year, and a chair-warming councilman rarely rises as high as the aldermanic seat.

After much sparring and tinkering, and only after the French voters of Lowell had said in unmistakable tones "Put Beaulieu on the ticket," the party managers finally consented to allow John H. Beaulieu to be a candidate for alderman from ward five. Beaulieu was cut in good style last year, and no one can discover any change in the conditions up to the present.

In ward nine the candidate is Councilman William Whittet, who got a job for his brother as superintendent of commons and then rested for the remainder of the year. The brother, is one of the most independent officials in the hall and has made some enemies who will "square" themselves by doing up the aldermanic candidate for with Whittet in the board of aldermen, the latter will remain in his berth.

The other candidates are not generally known and unknowns are undesirables.

THE PURCHASING AGENCY.

If all democratic candidates had before him no harder proposition than that which confronts Purchasing Agent Andrew E. Barrett, in the person of Virgil G. Barnard, they would indeed be fortunate, for it doesn't seem possible that the voters of a city who defeated Barnard by 840 votes would elect him again. Mr. Barnard's only recommendation for the position of purchasing agent appears to be the fact that he needs employment for, despite his extraordinary ability, he has not held any position since leaving city hall except that of an insurance agent.

Mr. Barnard's administration cannot stand a comparison with that of Mr. Barrett. The latter has satisfied all Lowell except perhaps two firms which in the vernacular "had a cinch" on city orders when Mr. Barnard was in office. Mr. Barrett's administration has been far more successful and satisfactory than that of his predecessors, as any leading business man will aver regardless of political affiliation. Mr. Barrett has divided up his smaller orders among all the business houses playing no favorites, and less business has gone out of town than in Mr. Barnard's time. Under Mr. Barrett all competitions have been absolutely fair and square, and all contracts have gone to the lowest bidders in all cases.

Another recommendation for Mr. Barrett's administration is the fine manner in which he got along with the heads of the various departments. There was no friction and doubtless they would like to see him re-elected. He was most courteous to them, supplying them with their wants in as short a time as possible. Mr. Barnard adopted a "penny wise, pound foolish" policy in dealing with the heads of departments, and while no money was saved in the long run, he made himself unpopular with those around him. The records of Mr. Barrett's office are open to inspection, and while he has not satisfied all he has satisfied more business men than did Mr. Barnard.

Mr. Barrett has conducted the affairs of the office as he would his own private affairs, and that is the secret of his successful administration.

Some people have said that such an important office as purchasing agent should only go to a man paying a substantial tax. Here again Mr. Barrett appeals most favorably to the voters. Purchasing Agent Barrett is the heaviest taxpayer in city hall. He pays a tax of $340. Thus, taking all things into consideration, it is not an exaggeration to predict that Andrew E. Barrett will be elected by a majority of 1,000.

There will be great hustling among the democratic candidates for the minor offices tomorrow, for it is their last chances, as the caucuses will be held on Monday night.

Editor Sun:

In reply to my communication of Thursday, favoring the candidacy of Thomas J. Murphy for the school board in ward two, I noticed a letter in your issue of last night, signed by Mr. Daly in which that gentleman uses, in my judgment, unnecessarily strong language. As I wrote in all fairness, I think he has had no occasion to grow ugly over it. I stated that he lived outside the ward because I know that he maintains a comfortable home on Butterfield street, though it seems according to his statement that he resides at his store on Suffolk street. So much for that. Mr. Daly further states that Mr. Murphy opposed him when he had only served one term. This is true. But it is not true that Mr. Murphy opposed his second attempt for election as his letter might lead some to believe. Mr. Daly having served one term, sought a second one and was defeated by Mr. Mulligan. After Mr. Mulligan had served his terms the field was open to any and all who might desire to contest and Mr. Daly, Mr. Murphy and Mr. Johnson entered as each had a right and none a superior claim. Mr. Murphy served his term with distinction and now seeks a second term. At the eleventh hour Mr. Daly has gone in against him. It would seem to me that in this case, leaving his extraordinarily fine record out of the question, Mr. Murphy still has the greater claim to the position. Hoping that ward two will return Mr. Murphy to the school board, I remain.

Respectfully,
"GOOD WILL."

In ward four it looks as if the old members would be returned to the common council, although there are many new candidates in the ward.

Thomas F. Lynch, his friends inform me, is stated a sure winner in ward two. He is a hard-working and able young man and if elected will make a good councilman.

Bernard F. Lee is another strong candidate for the council in ward two and ward two will be well represented anyway.

FOR McCABE.

Mr. Editor:—Now that the time of municipal campaign is at its height and that candidates for the councilmanic nomination are being boomed, I feel it my duty as a voter of ward five to speak of one man in many who is aspiring for said nomination and who, I feel and know, will be a credit to his constituents, if put in the council chamber. He is a man of good moral character, whose ability to fill such a position is excelled by none. He is a resident of the ward and a man who is very shrewd in looking after the affairs of his fellow voters of the ward.

I have known the young man from childhood and I have given his career a careful study up to the present time, and I must say he is not lacking one iota in what goes to make up an honorable upright young man, a man who will insist on right being right and wrong being wrong; he will prove to be a friend staunch and true to the voters of ward five if given the nomination as a councilman of the ward at the caucus on next Monday evening. The gentleman I speak of is George McCabe. Fellow voters, I appeal to you, as one of you, to put our best men to the front, give them the nomination next Monday evening and if we do this we will not fear their election.

Without a doubt they will be elected to a position which awaits them in our city council and when once there, they will look after our interests.

George McCabe is one of those kind of men and if once put there you will never have reason to regret it. Signed,

A VOTER OF WARD FIVE.

Mr. Thomas J. Murphy, candidate for the school board from ward two has issued a strong circular to the voters of his ward, reviewing his career and asking the honor of a second term. Mr. Murphy's defeat of Sweetsir and Schoderatt on the evening drawing school committee was one of the most notable incidents of this year's deliberations.

The hustlers who are canvassing ward two in the interest of Frank E. McMahon, who is a candidate for overseer of the poor in that ward, have met with favorable responses to their solicitations and are confident that Mr. McMahon will be successful.

Lowell, Mass., Nov. 24, 1899.

Mr. Editor:

With your kind permission, I desire to take a little space to say a few words in behalf of the present councilman, Patrick H. Barry, who has stood by the working man and all the voters of ward two should stand by him. He has done more for the working man than all the rest together. Councilman Barry is a member of Court Merrimack, F. of A., of the A. O. H.; of the Brewery Workmen; and of the Celtics. Thanking you for your valuable space, I am,

OLD TIMER.

Lowell, Nov. 24, 1899.

Mr. Editor of the Lowell Sun:

The name of James E. Gorman is frequently mentioned as the most probable to receive the endorsement of the voters for overseer of the poor in ward four. Mr. Gorman is the present efficient and the well known shoe dealer of Gorham street. During his term as overseer, he has watched over the interests of the ward with the greatest zeal and has always treated with courtesy those who sought his aid in procuring assistance. These are the reasons for believing in Mr. Gorman's success. The people know him; he is not a new man to them and in looking over the list of candidates, there is only one conclusion for those who wish to have the most capable man represent them, namely, to re-endorse the name of Mr. James E. Gorman for overseer of the poor.

Yours respectfully,
CROSBY STREET.

Mr. Editor:

Please allow me space in your paper to say a few words in regard to Councilman John F. Dillon, candidate for second term as councilman from Ward 5. He has held the office in the past with credit to himself and satisfaction to his constituents. He is a man who has the reputation of being perfectly straight-forward in all his political dealings and I think the voters of ward five will do well by giving him a rousing vote at the caucus on Monday night.

WARD FIVE.

Editor Sun:

I am a voter of ward 2 who has no choice of candidates, but, judging from what I have read and heard, I believe that the soldier candidate, Joseph P. Meehan, is the man most fitted to represent the ward in the next city council. Unlike most candidates, Mr. Meehan is very modest in bestowing praise upon himself. He prefers to let his friends extol his good qualities.

In him can be found the makings of a man who will stand as firm by the standards of democracy as he withstood the march across the Island of Porto Rico, when he remained one of the few soldiers which comprised a grand fragment of a once brave regiment.

He is a young man who was born and has always resided in the ward. He attended the Green grammar and the Lowell high school. In the neighborhood in which he resides there cannot be found a person who has anything but a good word for Joe. For these reasons I believe Mr. Meehan to be the man most capable to represent the ward in the next council.

A SUN READER.

Editor of The Sun: If you will kindly allow me a little space in your valuable paper I shall endeavor to show to the voters of ward four where it will be for their interest to renominate and elect Councilman Michael J. Markham. Ward four and so may be it said of old ward three has sent some of the ablest and best representatives and exponents of democracy that have ever had seats in our city government. But the voters have never sent one yet who was any truer than the one whom I have already mentioned, and for whom this communication is intended. He is a gentleman who can be approached by any one, no matter how humble in life. He makes no distinction and is always ready to do a favor if within his power. He has been in every respect a credit to those whom he represents and has always been on the lookout for the best interests of his ward. There has not been an improvement carried for the ward with which he is not in some way or other identified and there are many of them. It was through his efforts that Winter street was extended and there is no one knows that any better than the people of that district. Then again it may be said that it was he who had the trees removed from the south common ball grounds. It was he who did most to have Gorham street paved as a member of the committee on appropriations. When the rest of the committee wanted to drop the appropriation he stood up and fought for it and won. It is to him the credit for the present system of assessors belongs. Every reader of The Sun remembers the investigation and the result. The committee consisted of two democrats and three republicans. The republicans were unanimous on their report and agreed to clean out the whole office. The two democrats differed with them and had a report each. Councilman Markham's report was known as the minority report. Neither was adopted until Alderman Dinon took up the matter and the result was that Markham's report or the ideas contained therein was the one that was adopted. He has been tendered a vote of thanks by the Central Labor union in May, 1899, for the manner in which he tried to guard the interest of the citizens of Lowell against contract labor from employing outside laborers who were not citizens of Lowell. He has voted for all measures that were of interest to the working man and there is one thing that he may feel proud of, that he is respected by his political enemies and looked upon as a hard one to run up against and the result is that whenever he puts in a resolution or order it goes through and he generally gains his point. He is a ready debater and has been gifted with good common sense. He is looked upon as the right man in the right place. It was he who by his able parliamentary tactics when all seemed to be lost, gained the election of Francis M. Fagan as city messenger. He was honored by his fellow democrats as their choice for president of the common council and made the opposition center on one to defeat him. He is in every respect the true type of the young democracy and one whom the voters of ward four may well feel proud of and the only way in which they can show him their respect is to attend the caucuses next Monday night and see that the name of Michael J. Markham is crossed on their ballot.

WARD FOUR.

Editor Sun

I would like to add my endorsement to the candidacy of Matthew Coupe for the overseer of the poor in ward two. As there are but a few days left for the candidates to approach the voters for the caucus Monday evening, I have known Mr. Coupe for a number of years and always found him a hustler in the democratic ranks in the past as well as at the present time. Mr. Coupe never before aspired for any office, but his opponents have come before us upon many occasions. Therefore, you should lay by those men who come before us so often and give some one else a chance. Mr. Coupe, if elected, is well qualified for the position. He is a man who understands the needs of the poor. At the present time Mr. Coupe runs a boarding house upon the Merrimack corporation, and has done so for years. He is very popular amongst the fraternal organizations, being a past chief ranger of Court Wamesit, No. 51, F. of A., a member of the Royal Arcanum and the I. O. O. F. organization. I shall, therefore, close by asking the voters of ward two when they go to the polls on Monday to see that they put a cross against the name of Matthew Coupe for overseer of the poor of ward two.

J. J. M.

SONS ARRESTED

ON SUSPICION OF CAUSING FATHER'S DEATH.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BOSTON, November 25.—About 11.30 yesterday morning Timothy Casey, aged 78, was found in a tenement on the third floor of the house at 135 Medford street, Charlestown, with his face, hands and shoulders severly burned. The police ambulance was sent for and on its arrival Mr. Casey walked, with assistance down one flight of stairs. He was then laid on the stretcher and carried to the ambulance. When the ambulance started on its way to the hospital, it was found that the man was dead.

The body was taken to undertaking rooms on Howard street and the medical examiner notified.

When the report was made at station 15, a detail of police was sent to the house, and Timothy and Cornelius Casey, sons of the dead man, were placed under arrest to await the medical examiner's finding. Two other tenants, Mrs. Hurbs H. Sarbird and Mr. Carroll were also taken to the station as witnesses.

It is stated that on Thursday night there was a row in the Casey household, during which a lighted lamp was thrown at Mr. Casey. Mr. Carroll stated to the police that he opened the door of Mr. Casey's room on hearing outcries and saw one of the sons kick his father.

Carroll is sometimes employed as a longshoreman.

Mr. Casey, the father had the reputation of being a hard-working man and was well known in the vicinity of Charlestown Neck.

A. A. Farland of New York, phenomenal banjoist; Walter Eccles of Boston, humorist, at Stratton's concert, next Wednesday evening. Seats at Ellingwood's now.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, } ss.
LUCAS COUNTY.

FRANK J. CHENEY makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. CHENEY & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE.
FRANK J. CHENEY.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A.D. 1886.

{SEAL} A. W. GLEASON,
Notary Public.

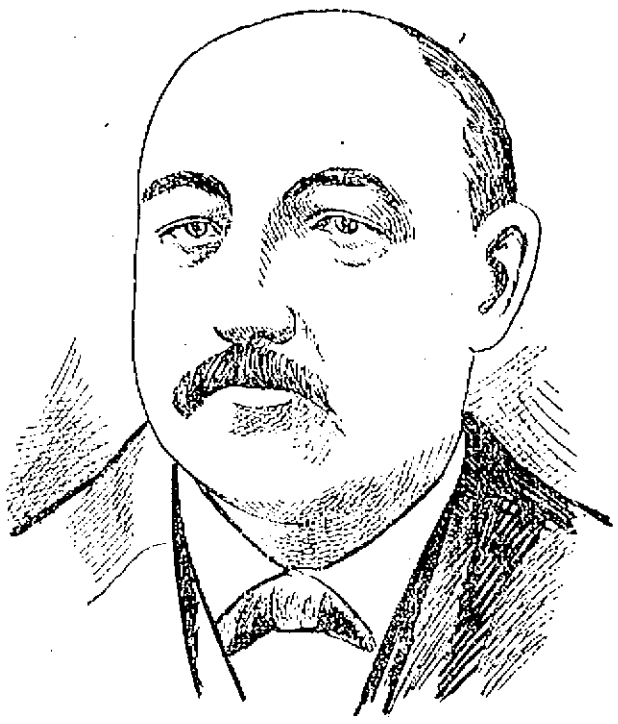
Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials, free.
F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
Sold by Druggists, 75c.

GEN. WOOD

COMING HOME TO ACQUAINT McKINLEY WITH CUBAN AFFAIRS.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 25.—The war department has been advised that the transport McPherson sailed from Santiago with General Leonard Wood aboard. The officials of the war department from the secretary down refuse to make any statement as to the meaning of the visit of General Wood to Washington at this time. It is beyond question, however, that it is the purpose of the president to advise with General Wood upon Cuban affairs in order to strengthen his hands in dealing with that subject before congress. Also it is not to be doubted that the name of the general has been under consideration in connection with the civil administration of the affairs of the whole or part of Cuba, when the change is made from a military to a civil form of government. This is not necessarily an indication that he has been selected for such a post, for it is equally true that the names of General Ludlow and of General Wilson have also been considered. General Ludlow preceded General Wood to Washington and now it appears likely that General Wilson will also be invited to come to the capital, so that the president will be personally acquainted with the qualifications of the three officers who have been looked upon as making up the limit of choice in the civil governorship.



EDMUND B. O'KENNEDY, IRISH PATRIOT JUST RELEASED FROM AN ENGLISH PRISON.

O'KENNEDY IN BOSTON.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BOSTON, Nov. 25.—Edmund B. O'Kennedy, better known as "Featherstone," a nom-de-plume he assumed while in Ireland in 1883 and who was recently liberated from an English prison where he served nearly sixteen years for being connected with the Irish political movement is now visiting friends in this city and is receiving considerable attention from those who sympathize with him for the long term of imprisonment he endured. Mr. O'Kennedy left this country in 1883 for Ireland where he had not visited for many years and while in Cork it came to his notice that he was being shadowed and to avoid annoyance in his visit to his native land he was obliged to assume the name of Featherstone. He tells a harrowing tale of experience in English prisons.

FR. McKENNA

LECTURED TO SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHERS OF ST. PETER'S CHURCH.

A meeting of the Sunday school teachers of St. Peter's church was held Thursday evening at the fair hall. Rev. John McKenna delivered a lecture on Joan of Arc which was very interesting and was thoroughly enjoyed by the young ladies. After the lecture a literary program was enjoyed, including piano selections by Miss Mary Murray; vocal solos, Miss Katharine Kelley and readings by Miss Mary Crane.

The next meeting will be held on Wednesday evening, December 6, when the young ladies will enjoy ice cream and a social time.

NEW FIRM.

Meehan & Co., hat manufacturers, are located at No. 7 Merrimack, where they are showing a large line of fine and medium grade of men's hats. They also make hats to order to fit any head. High class repairing. Hats cleaned while you wait.

FAREWELL RECEPTION

TO MISS PERRAULT AT NORTH CHELMSFORD.

A farewell reception was tendered to Miss Minnie Perrault, a popular young lady of the Ron Marche, who is soon to leave for Chicago where she will make her future home, at her home, 28 West Third street last evening. A pleasing musical program was enjoyed. It included piano solos by Miss Montmarquette; vocal solos by Misses Hortense Lamire and Burll; comic song, Mr. Parker; vocal duet, Mr. and Mrs. Eliel Perrault; vocal solo, Master Arthur Walker; violin duet, Messrs. Bamber and Durlon. Dancing was enjoyed during the evening and refreshments were served by Mrs. Merrill and Mrs. B. Walker. Everyone had an enjoyable time.

PRIZE WINNERS.

The following is a list of the prize winners at the Lowell lodge whist tournament:

First prize, gentlemen, Clinton P. Tuttle, silk umbrella; first, ladies' prize, Gertrude Copeland, paid of kid gloves; gentleman's consolation prize, Albert Smith, silk necktie; ladies' consolation prize, Rachel Smith, toilet water.

INTER-CLUB GAMES.

The tournament play between the Alpines and Knights of Columbus last night resulted as follows: Pool—K. of C., 2; Alpines, 2. Whist—K of C., 10; Alpines, 5. Forty-five—K. of C., 9; Alpines, 7.

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it is what a cough may lead to that makes it so dangerous.

HALE'S HONEY OF HOREHOUND AND TAR

Hale's Honey of Horehound and Tar is a medicine that has long been tested in private practice. Sold by druggists generally.

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The laundress is sure of satisfactory results in her work if she uses Ivory Soap. Linens are of immaculate whiteness; no dirt or streaks anywhere. There's no room for criticism in the work when brought home. Ivory Soap is cheaper than common soaps in the end.

A WORD OF WARNING.—There are many white soaps, each represented to be "just as good as the 'Ivory';" they ARE NOT, for like all counterfeits, lack the peculiar and remarkable qualities of the genuine. Ask for "Ivory" Soap and insist upon getting it.

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POLICIES ARE HERE

Covenant Mutual Benefit Association in Trouble

COMMISSIONERS PROD MANAGEMENT

The Association Has Business in This City

It is said that there are several hundred people in Lowell, who hold policies in the Covenant Mutual Benefit association, several agents having done considerable work among the French-Americans in this city a few years ago. The association is now in trouble, as is shown in the following account taken from the Worcester Telegram.

"John E. Sullivan of Sullivan & O'Connell got after the Covenant Mutual Benefit association yesterday.

"Up to a few days ago the company had offices in State Mutual building, and William Banaghan was in charge of its Worcester business. Mr. Banaghan still has an office in the building, and does business for another insurance company.

"Mr. Sullivan told a reporter last night that he had been of the opinion for some time that the company has not conducted business as it should in Massachusetts.

"It is an assessment insurance company of the kind, Gov. Roger Wolcott pronounced against in his last inaugural address.

"Yesterday, Mr. Sullivan received a letter from Frederick L. Cutting insurance commissioner of Massachusetts, to the effect that the company has not complied with the laws of Massachusetts referring particularly to chap. 229 of the act of 1893, in not relative to the domestic and foreign mutual assessment insurance, and Mr. Sullivan says that among other things, the company has not filed its reports with the commissioner, as the law requires.

"After the receipt of the letter from Commissioner Cutting, Mr. Sullivan brought two suits against the Covenant Mutual Benefit association for $1000 each.

"The plaintiffs are Mr. Sullivan and his wife, Annie T. Sullivan. Mr. Sullivan has paid into the company $107.02, and his wife $172.08. Both suits are actions of contract.

"Service was made on William Banaghan, who has represented the company in this section.

"There are 4000 policy holders in the company in Massachusetts, and in Worcester, it is said, there are several hundred.

"The company has its headquarters in Galesburg, Ill., and Mr. Sullivan says Insurance Superintendent Louis F. Payn of New York has revoked the license of the company to do business in New York.

"The writs in the suits yesterday are returnable in superior court in Worcester the first Monday of January."

A BOX PARTY.

A box party and dance was held at Highland Hall last night by the M. S. C. A large crowd was in attendance, and everybody enjoyed themselves. The Excelsior orchestra furnished the music and dancing was continued to a late hour.

The officers were: General manager, E. F. Quinlan; floor director, Robert A. Dunbar; assistant floor director, Thos. A. Cole; aids, Arthur Cleveland, Prescott Pettibone, F. Gilman, H. Patterson, W. Spellman.

SAVOY THEATRE

Under the Management of Frank G. Mack and Charles F. Dempsey

This popular family theatre will open

Next Monday, November 27.

A mention of the names tells the whole story.

SOLARET,
"The Queen of Light

Positively the greatest and most artistic Electrical Dancing act ever produced anywhere. She is beautiful and incomparable. She has all new and novel Electrical effects produced by the same great Electrician, Mr. J. P. Clark.

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The best and neatest sketch in vaudeville

GEORGE KINGSBURY.

Comedian and Instrumentalist of high Order.

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A finished and refined singing and dancing duo.

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Comedian and Monologuist ranking Among the Topliners.

All others to be announced later.

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Ladies' Matinee every afternoon except Mondays. Matinee, 2.30. Evenings, 8.15. Doors open one-half hour earlier.

A SOCIAL EVENING.

The Young Men's Christian association is planning to have a fine time tonight at the first of its members' social meetings.

All of the members are expected to be present.

The ladies' auxiliary will serve a substantial New England dinner at 6.15 sharp. There will be matters of interest following the dinner and a pleasant and profitable time is assured.

Syrup of Figs, 25c. Dows' Drug Store.

FEEBLE KIDNEYS.

In health the kidneys strain all impurities from the blood. Diseased, they allow the poisons to accumulate. Weak kidneys come from weak stomachs. Build up the stomach with Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, and the kidneys will be as good as new. The Bitters also cures constipation, indigestion, dyspepsia, biliousness, nervousness and general debility. See that a PRIVATE REVENUE STAMP covers the neck of the bottle.

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DIAMONDS

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They never deteriorate, wear out or fall in price. They can always be realized on immediately.

When you buy jewelry, buy diamonds. When you buy diamonds, come here. Then you'll be sure you get what you pay for and that you pay no more than you ought to.

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The Reliable Jeweller,
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DR. WALKER DENTIST Walker's Exchange

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Middlesex, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of JENNIE D. McHARG, late of Lowell, in said county, deceased, intestate.

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to JOHN W. McEVOY, of Lowell, in said county, as public administrator or to some other suitable person.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said county of Middlesex, on the fifth day of December, A. D., 1899 at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petition is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week for three successive weeks in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day at least before said court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-first day of November, in the year one thousand, eight hundred and ninety-nine.

S. H. FOLSOM, Register.

Notice is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Frank Munroe, alias Frank Monroe, late of Lowell, in the County of Middlesex, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

JOHN W. McEVOY, Adm.
137 Central Street.

Lowell, Mass., Nov. 25, 1899.

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We wish you to see our $28.00 Parlor Suit. We know you cannot buy any Suit elsewhere as good for the money. This we know and ask you to come and see it so you may be convinced that our statement is correct.

MORRIS CHAIRS.

for $5.49 that are worth $7.00, a big line of fancy rockers at all prices.

PARLOR STOVES.

We carry the best Oak Parlor Stoves in Lowell. And our return flue Parlor Stoves, both square and round, are low in price and high in quality. Look all other stoves over carefully, then see ours, you will buy of us and save money too.

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Admiral Dewey winced under the criticism directed at him by a lot of unscrupulous politicians and newspapers. The supporters of President McKinley, who feared that Dewey might become a candidate for the presidency, availed themselves of this opportunity of aiming a blow at his popularity. The admiral thought it would be a proper thing to deed the house to his son, so that it might go down as an heirloom in the Dewey family. But in order not to ignore his wife in the transfer he deeded it first to her, so as to give her the privilege of making the conveyance. There was nothing very wrong about that, but his critics and political enemies twisted it and distorted it in every possible manner to suit their purposes. For awhile the admiral shut himself up from the newspapers; but at last he was forced to come out and make a statement which had the effect of stopping the flippant tongues and scurrilous pens from heaping abuse upon him and which will go far to silence these critics in the future. Dewey, besides being a hero, is a gentleman, and it is his acts as a gentleman that his boorish critics did not understand.

The common council of Boston is apparently determined if possible to bring about a serious overhauling of the police department; but unfortunately the police department of Boston is not under control of the city council of Boston. It is a state institution, the legislature is apparently of the opinion that the city of Boston is not fit to be trusted with the management of its police department. The common council had better start an agitation for home rule. The system of policing the different cities by state authority has received some serious set backs of late. The city of Fall River can testify to its absurdity, and Boston is equally opposed to this violation of the principle of home rule. When will we have a legislature that will stand for home rule in Massachusetts cities?

Barnum's saying that the people like to be humbugged had a striking verification in the facility with which the Franklin syndicate raked in the money of greedy investors on the promise of ten per cent. weekly. Despite the obvious impossibility of paying such dividends indefinitely the money poured in until the police raided the office. The manager has skipped with millions of money belonging to poor people, who like to be humbugged. They have been humbugged to the Queen's taste in the present case by Manager Miller of the Franklin syndicate.

It is rather a strange phase of neutrality in the Transvaal war to find President McKinley protesting to President Kruger that the Americans at Pretoria are not allowed to care for the British prisoners who may need their attention. The fact that the Americans give their attention exclusively to the British and ignore the suffering Boers is ample justification for Kruger's refusal. The United States, by such a course, is not strictly observing the obligations of neutrality.

That Brave Bill Anthony should have committed suicide. Alas, the shock suffered in the destruction of the Maine must have effected his mind and finally overcome his reason. Poor Bill Anthony's words to Capt. Sigsbee will long be remembered: "Sir, I have the honor to inform you that the ship has been blown up and is sinking." Strange that a man of such nerve in an emergency could not have weathered the ills of life so as to run the natural term of his existence!

The democrats of Lowell now know their opponents. Let the work of defeating the republican candidates be well planned and effectively carried out, as it can by united action. The republican ticket is admittedly a weak one. Disunion and rivalry must be met by harmony even without the dispensers. Chairman O'Connor and his lieutenants of the democratic city committee did good work in registration. Now let the vote be brought out and victory is assured.

Nothing can show more clearly the power which Richard Croker wields as leader of Tammany hall than the fact that a few of his lieutenants turned in $15,000 for the Parnell memorial fund at his mere suggestion. It is a gracious act which shows not only the power of Croker's leadership, but also the influence and generosity of the organization of which he is the head.

Gen. Otis exults in the belief that the Filipino rebellion is at an end, that the government has been disbanded. True, the Filipino army and government are badly broken up, as well they may be, after such a desperate struggle for freedom against an overwhelming foe. But they are not reduced to submission, and will be so reduced as Aguinaldo has stated only when there are no more Filipinos to kill.

Richard Croker says the trusts will be the main issue in the next presidential campaign. The trusts are simply the organized robbers that carry on their operations in defiance of the law where they cannot control the courts, legislatures and congress itself.

All the great geniuses of this country, with the exception of Edison and a few others, are engaged in devising new methods of swindling the public, counterfeiting money and playing confidence games.

The republican ticket is practically decided upon and now it is in order for Mr. Rose to provide a harmony dinner for the entire party in order to overcome the soreness among the candidates who got left.

Boardman Hall has decided not to make an exhibition of his foolishness in running for mayor of Boston with as little chance of election as a dead man.

If conferences amount to anything, the wage question now under discussion at Fall River will surely soon be settled.

The South African censor is getting in his work. Even London refuses to believe the story of the victory at Belmont.

Alderman Taylor is the only member of the present board nominated for re-election. Why?

The battleship Kentucky is all right. Would that we could say as much for the state.

HORSE JUMPED 21 FEET

IT WAS EITHER THAT OR TAKE CHANCES WITH ANGRY GRIZZLY.

Not many horses trained in steeple chasing and ridden by skilled jockeys could make a clean jump of 21 feet.

When George King, the cowboy, started out to round up a herd of cattle that were pasturing in the valleys of the Santa Ana river he invited an Indian, Juan Machado to accompany him and help him in the cattle driving. Machado was on the point of agreeing when King said jokingly: "We will take our guns along, and we might get a fat bear."

Immediately the Indian appeared to be in a state of abject terror and refused to take the trip, assuring King that the grizzly bear always overheard such threats and that hunters who announced their objects were sure to be eaten up.

Laughing at the Indian's superstition, King started on without him.

A day or two afterward he was following a lonely trail alone. The trail led through a dense thicket and was near the border of a dangerous gulch.

Suddenly the path made a sharp curve and disclosed to the cowboy's sight, a monster grizzly, gnawing a newly killed yearling. Now, of all circumstances calculated to excite a grizzly the interruption of his meal is the surest. Therefore when the mounted cowboy rode almost upon him, he rushed forward with a terrifying growl.

The little horse needed no spurs, but darted onward through the brush with incredible swiftness, the angry bear following close behind. In a moment the horse and rider were on the edge of the gulch and there was no room for turning.

There was but one thing to do. King raised the bridle reins, the little horse gathered her legs under her and sailed straight through the air—and landed safely on the edge of the opposite bank.

The chasm was 21 feet across.

And the Indian said: "I told you so. I told you the bear would see you.

TEWKSBURY

Tewksbury Grange held a successful box party last evening at the town hall. Early in the evening there was a business session at which Henry M. Billings was appointed to represent the grange at the State Agricultural Institute to be held at Westfield. When the boxes were produced Auctioneer F. A. Fitzgerald mounted the platform and had no difficulty in disposing of a large collection of the boxes, the receipts from which amounted to about $15. The committee was as follows: Mr. and Mrs. Frank Trull, Mrs. S. P. Fike and Miss Lizzie Rogers.

At a recent meeting of the executive committee of the Village Improvement association, it was decided to hold "The Annual Tea" New Year's night. Special committees were appointed to provide for the supper and the entertainment.

STATIONARY FIREMEN

HELD AN OPEN MEETING LAST EVENING.

There was an open meeting of the Stationary Firemen in Building Laborers' hall on Middle street, last evening. The attendance was very large.

Mr. Lawrence Haggett of Boston addressed the meeting upon the heating of rooms from boilers. President Joseph Convery also talked interestingly. The members are arranging for another open meeting which will be held on the afternoon of Sunday, December 3.

LOWELL WOMAN SPOKE.

A session of the Massachusetts diocesan organization of the Girls' Friendly society was held Thursday evening at Tremont Temple, Boston. The principal subject of discussion was "Sense of Women's Obligations," which was treated in several different branches. Miss Annie Bennett of St. Anne's church, this city was one of the speakers who viewed the subject in a domestic sense.

A son has been born to Mr. and Mrs. J. Syme Hastings of Washington, D. C.

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Easy to Buy,
Easy to Cook,
Easy to Eat,
Easy to Digest
Quaker Oats
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Facts and Fiction

Experiences of Lowell Citizens Are Easily Proven to be Facts. Outside Testimony is Apt to Savor of Romance.

The most superficial investigation will prove that the following statement from a resident of Lowell is true. Read it and compare evidence from Lowell along with testimony from outside places, published side by side with this in the columns of this paper. Investigate still further and you will be surprised at the number of people in Lowell who re-echo what this citizen says:

Mrs. Terrance Flood of 50 Davidson street says: "A severe attack of pneumonia left me suffering from kidney ailment which was manifested by pains in my back. I heard about the merits of Doan's Kidney Pills, and went to Ellingwood & Co.'s drug store, corner of Merrimack and Central streets and got a box. Its use proved so beneficial I continued the treatment until I had taken 4 boxes, when I felt so well I did not consider further use of Doan's Kidney Pills or any other remedy necessary. I value this preparation so highly that I am pleased to recommend it to others."

EIGHT-HOUR DAY

FOR CITY EMPLOYES DISCUSSED BY SPINNERS' UNION.

The regular meeting of the Spinners' union was held last night in their hall on Middle street and there was a large attendance. The delegation to the Textile Council submitted a report of the situation upon the proposed increase in wages. The report was accepted. The proposed eight hour law for employes of the city departments which is to come before the voters at the city election was discussed at length every member pledging himself to not only vote in favor of the law but to also use his influence with his friends.

BILLERICA NEWS

A chicken pie supper and entertainment were held in the vestry of the Baptist church of North Billerica last night and attracted a large crowd.

The arrangements were under the charge of the Ladies' Aid society who were assisted by the young men of the society. An excellent supper was served from 6:30 to 8 o'clock, followed by a very interesting program as follows: Phonographic selection by H. G. Sheldon; song, Mrs. Nettie Spaulding, "You Can't Forget the Old Love;" reading, Mr. R. T. Perry, "Sewing on a Button;" phonographic selection; bass solo, Mr. George Duraton; recitation, "Bin'r, the Regular," Joseph Ellis; song, "Two Sisters," Mr. Herbert Ellis; harmonica trio, introducing popular songs with variations by Messrs. Arthur, William and Charles Butterfield; recitation, "Dot Drummer," by Mr. George Perry; Mr. Thomas Bateson, accompanist. Considerable amusement was derived from the recitations of Messrs. R. T. Perry and Joseph Ellis, as each had stumped the other to speak.

Following are the various committees: General manager, George Perry, assisted by George Colson, Thomas Ellis, Louis Perry, Austin Staples, George Forbes, George Holden, Oliver Ouliod, Fred Custy, George Dyson.

The following ladies had charge of the supper: Mrs. Perry, Mrs. Holt, Miss Coffee, Mrs. Colson, Mrs. Doar, Mrs. Trefy, Mrs. Sheldon, Mrs. Lord, Mrs. Scott and Mrs. Clegg.

LEASE RATIFIED

BY DIRECTORS AND STOCKHOLDERS OF LOWELL & SUBURBAN.

At a meeting of the directors and stockholders of the Lowell and Suburban Street Railway company, the lease of that road to the Lowell, Lawrence and Haverhill Street Railway company was unanimously approved and ratified. The lease is for a term of 25 years, on a graded dividend basis. This completes the action by which the Lowell & Suburban is controlled by the Massachusetts Electric company.

NORTH CHELMSFORD

The Clipper Social club of North Chelmsford managed a successful dance at the town hall last night. A delightful concert was given during the early part of the evening by the North Chelmsford orchestra and at 9 o'clock the dancing began and continued until 12 o'clock. Those who had charge of the affair were: General manager, Clarence Thompson; assistant general manager, Alphonse Magnant; floor director, Fred Lester; assistant floor director, Thomas McTague; aids, John Morning, Thomas Tole, Joseph Crowley, John J. Gray, Walter Finch, Thomas Larkin, John Curry; reception committee, Walter Monk, James J. Barrett, John J. O'Connell, James McTague.

THE LUDWIG CONCERT.

Associate Hall undoubtedly will be packed on Sunday evening when William Ludwig and his concert company will appear here in a beautiful program of Irish music. The lamented John Boyle O'Reilly in reporting a Ludwig concert for the Boston Pilot some years ago, said:

"What is the supreme test of Irish music for the normal Irishman? The thoughtful observer of the great audience which filled Boston theatre last Sunday night for the fourth of the Ludwig concerts has but one answer. Irish music is loved and prized by the Irish chiefly as it is the voice of Irish passion for Nationhood; and the great singer who has been delighting American audiences in these parts would have had but a temperate welcome if his genius were not enkindled by his devotion to the national cause.

Mr. Ludwig and his brilliant company gave a new and varied program, ranging in one line, from the pensive beauty of "Oft in the Stilly Night," to the delightful drollery of "Kitty of Coleraine." But while these were gladly welcomed and heartily recalled, it was only the national songs that drew out the deepest enthusiasm of the audience. One bar of the "Wearing of the Green," or "O'Donnell Abu," one strain of the cherished "Croppies" ballads of '98 sets the Irish blood all ablaze. Irish music has its message to all men as a revelation of the constancy and self-surrender unmatched since the world began with which the ideal of freedom has been worshipped in Ireland.

William Ludwig is doing a further work in which he should have encouragement from all Americans of Irish blood. In music known in America the varied range and technical perfection of Irish music Germany knows it. Haydn and Handel paid enthusiastic tribute to the refined beauty of the Irish melodies and the theme to which Moore set the "Last Rose of Summer," made the fortune of Flotow's opera, "Martha." Music lovers in America will not be slow in their recognition of Irish music now that it has found such an exponent as Mr. Ludwig. He ought to give his Irish concerts in every city in America and for pride in their national heritage, Irish-Americans should see that he does it."

"BILL" NEVILLE.

Bill Neville, the popular basket ball player and formerly of the champion Burkes will play at Milford tonight with the Milford State League team against the champion Hudsons. Neville was recently let go by Manager Redmond of the Burkes, so Manager Trask of Milford signed him to play. Neville is classed among the best guards in the state. In tonight's game he will play his old position and will make his opponent, no matter who he is, hustle to lose him.

PAPER COLLARS

That Were Used in the Early Days

THE CHINESE AND THEIR LAUNDRIES

The Number of Foreigners in the City

"I was in Putnam Son's clothing establishment the other evening and I saw a man making a purchase, that, to me, seemed very much out of the usual. That was, the customer had just purchased a box of paper collars and cuffs. This brought my mind back to a time when paper collars was about the only thing in ordinary use for men. But that was a long time ago.

The first paper collars were made, some where early in the sixties, and they were purely and simply a paper collar. They looked very neat on a person's neck, but they were rather a dangerous thing to attempt to wear to a ball or a party where a person was apt to exercise much, as the least perspiration would cause them to break at the buttonhole, so that a person was almost invaribly obliged to carry one collar in his pocket as well as one on his neck to provide for emergency.

A little later on some genius made a collar that had a covering of linen, which made a good substitute for the genuine linen collar. But even that grade seemed to pass out of existence as a common or popular collar and the linen collar was substituted. These collars used to retail ten in a box costing from eighteen to twenty-five cents. The cuffs cost fifty cents.

One of the clerks told me that in the days when paper collars were almost exclusively worn, it was no unusual occurrence for them to sell two or three hundred boxes on a Saturday, where they would not probably sell that many in a year now.

Another thing that seems remarkably funny is that that they went so far in the manufacturing of these goods for gentlemen that they not only made paper collars in various styles, but also cuffs and bosoms. He surprised me somewhat when he told me that at one time they had actually placed on the market a shirt made entirely of paper.

It struck me that this must have been a kind of a fair weather outfit for I imagined I could see the man's finish if he got caught in a rain storm.

Occasionally a wag would bring them into a Chinese laundry to get them laundered, unnecessary to say that when called for them a few days that when he called for them a few days later he might have the "checkee" but he could not get his "shirtee" for the shirts had melted away in the process of washing.

Celluloid shirts, cuffs and bosoms later came into the market and have always met with a fair sale, they being very durable and if a person is not too particular about his linen, he could economize greatly in the wearing of the furnishings made of this material.

Speaking of collars and cuffs brings to my mind our laundries. I can distinctly remember when in our city there was not a single established laundry here, the nearest thing being a sign hung out on the edge of a building or over a door, where, Mrs. So and So took in washing and ironing. The first steam laundry that I can remember was known as the Troy laundry which is in existence today; and hundreds of our citizens sent their laundry to Troy, N. Y. I believe that Joseph White, the clothing and furnishing dealer, who some years ago did business in this city, was the first to establish an agency for the Troy laundry people. Shortly after this agency being established, a Chinese laundry firm opened up a place on Merrimack street, near the corner of Maiden Lane, about the sixties. They at that time, seemed to be the only persons doing laundry work that could get that high finished gloss or polish on our linens and the result was that they did quite a profitable business. Shortly after their establishing, several other Chinamen came to this city and established laundries, giving their exclusive attention to this industry.

These Mongolians must certainly be credited with being the most industrious, the quietest and most inoffensive class in our city. The wonder to most most people's minds is when do these people ever rest, for they are the first up in the morning, and in this city like any other are always the last to finish their work. They are surely the most exclusive class of people that can be found, hardly ever associating with anyone but one of their own nationality.

I happened to drop into a laundry on John street the other day and there I met a very fine looking specimen of the Mongolian race and he was reading a newspaper that was printed in Hong Kong and it certainly looked fun funny to me, for the characters were like columns of figures running up and down the page, with no space lines designating the columns as in our local papers. I was surprised when he told me that they had no alphabet for spelling out their words, that each character represented a word in itself and in that way none of them was obliged to learn the alphabet.

I asked him what the paper was called and he told me but I could not remember it much longer than while he was naming it. I also asked him the character of news found in this paper and he said that it was a religious paper and that he was a subscriber.

He told me that it was a paper which was published semi-monthly and costs one dollar and fifty cents a year in our money. I found that he was a very interesting person to talk with and that he spoke the English language very fluently. His countenance would indicate that he was above the ordinary Chinaman in intellect. He told me that he had resided in this country for the last fifteen years and that he had lived the greater portion of that time in California and New York and was a resident of our city for seven years. I was much surprised to think that these people who emigrated to this city more than thirty years ago had not reached a total of one hundred inhabitants, as strictly speaking there are only eighty-six of them in Lowell, this being the greatest number that we have ever had.

The honors in point of numbers is about evenly divided between our colored residents and the Chinamen, for they, like the Chinese, do not seem to increase their numbers. There are not today as many colored people living in Lowell as there were forty years ago, and this fact is all the more remarkable when we stop to consider how rapidly the composition of our population is changing by the influx of new foreign elements from Europe, such as the Greeks, Poles, Armenians, Turks and Italians, and it would not take a man to be a very great prophet to predict that in twenty years these people will be numerous enough in our city to hold the balance of power if not to be the dictators of what shall be the policy of our city. They are liable to control our institutions; but I suppose that these are all privileges vouchsafed to people in a free country. Whether they will be an improvement over what we have already enjoyed is a question that only time can determine, but these conditions are facts that cannot be disputed and whether for good or evil they will certainly take place.

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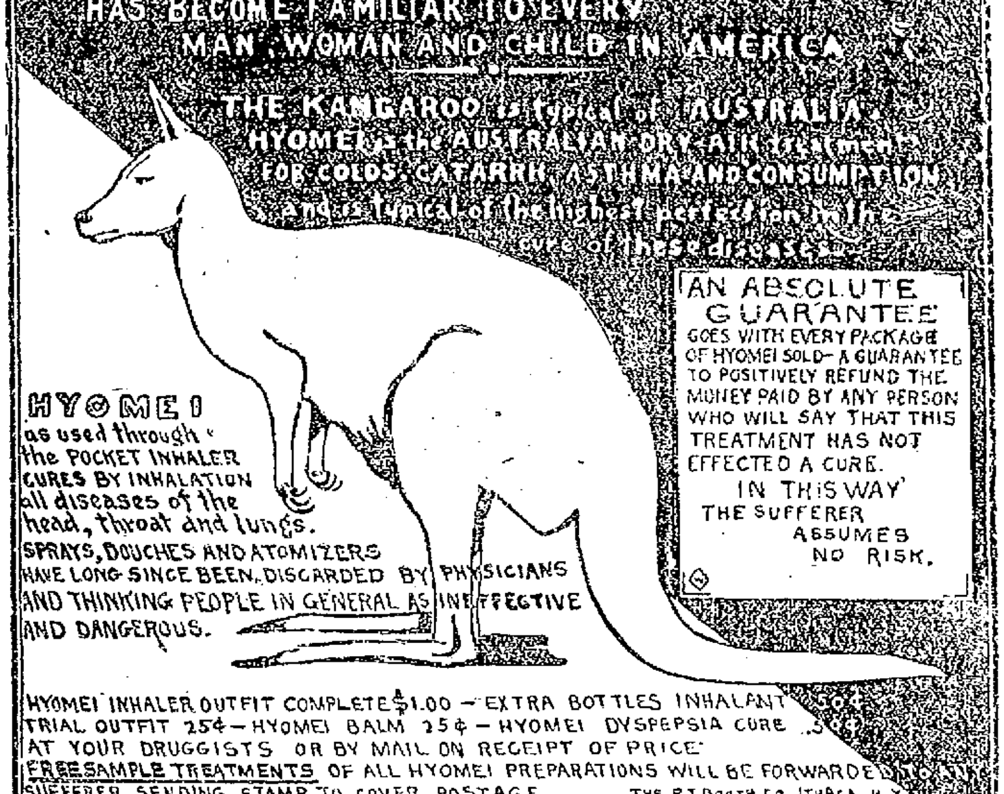
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THE DRAMA

GOSSIP OF THE STAGE AND ITS STARS.

Mrs. Sara Cowell LeMoyne, wife of the well known actor, Mr. W. J. Le Moyne, and herself celebrated as a dramatic reader, as well as an artistic interpreter of some of the most difficult roles of recent dramas, will make her appearance as a star early in the new year, in a new society drama, written especially for her by Mrs. Henry C. McMille, widow of the well-known playwright, and Miss Harriet Ford. The new comedy will be called "The Greatest Thing in the World," and will have its first production early in January. Mrs. Le Moyne is well known in Boston. She made her debut at the Union Square theatre, New York, when a girl, and was for three years the youngest member of A. M. Palmer's stock company. Then Mr. Palmer wanted to cast her for an old woman's role and she resigned from the company. She immediately started on her career as a dramatic reader, and soon won fame and popularity both in this country and England. Mrs. Le Moyne made her re-appearance as an actress in Clyde Fitch's play, "The Moth and the Flame," in which she made a great hit as the giddy widow, Mrs. Lorimer. Last season she originated the Duchess in "Catherine," and her performance was one of the most notable features of that play.

"The glorious part of Henry Irving's career," said Stuart Robson one day, "is that as he has advanced himself he has brought the profession up with him. Here in America people don't realize what prejudices theatrical folk of England had to contend with, but now the actor stands with the best of them. He has his place in society, just the same as any other artist, and Henry Irving has done most of the work that has brought this about."

For a number of years it was known that the queen was ready to recognize the great talent of the first English-speaking actors and to express the sense of gratitude the nation felt to him for what he had done for theatrical production by conferring on him the title. Irving's friends in the literary and social world were anxious that he should be knighted, but he frequently expressed in conversation his opinion, which, of course, reached what are ambiguously called royal ears, that he did not desire the honor. It was not until the members of his own profession, headed by Chas. Wyndham, went to him and told him that they desired to see him knighted that he consented.

"You must, Irving, for the good of the cause," Wyndham is reported to have said. "You have carried your profession up to the point where one of its members is considered worthy of knighthood. Your own work in this direction will not be completed until you have accepted this honor, which is an honor to us all." The year after this, among the birthday announcements, was Henry Brodribb Irving.—Ainslee's Magazine for December.

Josef Kainz, who is considered the greatest German Hamlet of the day, has just acted the role at the Hofburg in Vienna, to which he has gone from Berlin. Sarah Bernhardt and Adele Sandrock attempted the part shortly afterward. This was too much for Herr Kainz, who was unable to keep from relieving his mind on the subject. "Hamlet is a man," he wrote, "and only men can play Hamlet. A woman cannot conceive what the character is. In the part there is what I might call the eternal masculine. Rather should a woman play Claudius or one of the courtiers. The subject is too serious to make a puppet out of Hamlet. Hamlet, who wanted to get away from women, played by a woman—what an idea! That is a comedy in a comedy. The part should not be degraded to mere costume role. My opinion is that only a Shakespeare who could write a 'Hamlet' could play the part of the hero well. But where is there a Shakespeare among the actors today?"

"The greatest marked development in the theatre in the last 25 years," said Sir Henry Irving slowly, and in that strikingly measured manner, "is that it is no longer necessary to vindicate the stage. There was a time when it was. Another great change, and which has helped the actor immensely, is the growth in the number of strong, honest and capable critics. The actor must have publicity and honest criticism, and, in proportion as he gets that, the necessity for vindication ceases. He then takes his place according to his merit, that is, he takes his place in his time. But an actor is never sure what another time will think of him. An actor's rewards are peculiar. I think it was Mr. Archer who said that beautiful pictures, statues and fine buildings, no matter how much you admire them, never cause you to throw up your hat or applaud very vigorously. In walking through an art collection you simply make a pencil mark alongside of the pictures that please you. The methods of expressing approval of acting are stronger, but the thing that produces the approval has passed away with its creation."—Ainslee's for December.

The withdrawal of Tyrone Power from Mrs. Fiske's company, playing "Becky Sharp" at the Fifth Avenue theatre, was due to the fact that he had made a year's engagement with James Williamson of Australia to play leading parts. He also made arrangements for the appearance in the same companies of his wife, Miss Edith Crane.

Howard Malcom Ticknor of Boston, at the close of a lecture at San Francisco, made some sharp comment on the theatrical syndicate. So great has been the feeling against it, he said, that several of the prominent actors and actresses in the east, are discussing a plan to cut loose from the trust, organize a company of their own and appeal to the public for patronage, even though they are not able to mount plays as the syndicate mounts them.

Klaw & Erlanger and B. D. Stevens' extravaganza, "Chris and the Wonderful Lamp," will begin an engagement at the Boston Museum Monday evening, Dec. 4th. The music is by the famous John Philip Sousa, the leader of Sousa's band, "The March King." The book is by Glen MacDonough. The foundation of the story is the Arabian Nights' romance of Aladdin, the magic lamp and the Genii, brought up to date. Edna Wallace Hopper, the petite comedienne, the Aladdin of today, and Jerome Sykes the Twentieth Century Genie. The company numbers 100 people, including John Page, the acrobatic comedian, Mabelle Baker, Charles H. Drew, Ethel Irene Stewart, Nellie Lynch, Randolph Curry, and Emilie Beaupre. The songs introduced have made hits, especially "In Poster-land," "I'm a Hightoned Genie," "The Hump-backed Whale," "The Lay of the Mechanical Doll," and "The College of Hoop-de-doo. "Sousa's latest march, "The Man Behind the Gun," creates a sensation when interpreted at the end of the second act.

E. H. Sothern purposes appearing as Hamlet to Miss Virginia Harned's Ophelia at Daly's New York, the first week of next May.

Stuart Robson has engaged Miss Florence Rockwell as leading woman for his coming production of "Oliver Goldsmith." Walton Hale is to fill the role of Ned Burke.

KENDRICK'S DEATH

JUDGE STONE FINDS WAS DUE TO HIS OVER CARELESSNESS.

Judge Stone of Lawrence has submitted the following report on the inquest in regard to the death of Jabez C. Kendrick:

COMMONWEALTH OF MASS.

Essex ss.

Police Court of Lawrence.

On the 8th day of November, 1899, I held an inquest in relation to the death of Jabez C. Kendrick, who was killed upon the tracks of the Lowell, Lawrence & Haverhill street railway company, on the 25th day of October, 1899, and find and report as follows:

Kendrick was found on Lowell street about five minutes past 7 upon the evening of October 25th, lying on the tracks of said railway; he was pulled off of said track just before the car went by. He then started up Lowell street toward the corner of Milton street, and boarded a car bound for Lowell at the corner of Milton street, at about 10 minutes past 7; he rode upon that car to a point about three or four hundred yards easterly from where the tracks leave the highway to go through private land when he left that car and started to walk back toward Lawrence. Nothing further was seen of him until the motorman upon the next car from Lowell to Lawrence discovered him lying at full length between the rails of the track upon which he was running, his feet being towards the approaching car. He was some hundred of yards towards Lowell from the place where he had left the car upon which he had just been riding. It was a dark and foggy night. The motorman did everything that lay in his power to do to stop his car after he observed Kendrick lying between the tracks, but was unable to do so until a portion of his car had run over Kendrick's body, and produced injuries from which he died in about an hour.

I find that his death was the result of his own careless acts and that the Lowell, Lawrence, & Haverhill street railway are in no way to blame for the accident which produced his death.

(Signed) ANDREW C. STONE.
Justice of the Police Court of Lawrence.

FIRST ASSEMBLY

BY WEAVERS' UNION HELD LAST NIGHT.

The Weavers' Union held its first grand assembly at Associate hall last night and about 100 couples attended.

There were 20 numbers on the program and dancing began at 8.30 and was enjoyed till 12. Music was furnished by Hibbard's orchestra of four pieces. The officers in charge were: General manager, James J. Conroy; assistant general manager, Miss May E. Rovers; floor director, John Walsh; assistant floor director, Thomas O'Hearn; James Mylott, treasurer; Miss Annie Logan, financial secretary; aids, Wm. H. Bakewell; chief aids, Frank LeClair Jr., Wm. L. Kinsella, James Long, Edmund LeClair, Alphonse Robillee, Patrick Myers, P. J. Burns, F. Mullen, Harry Starr; reception committee, Thomas F. Connolly, chairman; Miss Ella Martin, Miss May Jennings, Miss Annie McMullen, Miss Davis, Mrs. Katie Rowbottom, Miss Keith, Miss Lizzie Bannon, Miss Della Connolly, Miss Katie Morris, Miss Hackett, Miss Downs, Miss Mary McAleer, Miss Maggie McAleer, Miss Maggie McGuire, Miss Lizzie Northrop, Miss Dora Farrell.

BASKET BALL.

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LAWYERS TO JAIL

Philadelphia Men Convicted of Attempted Bribery

OF SECRET SERVICE DETECTIVE

In Connection With Counterfeiting Conspiracy

By Associated Press to The Sun.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 24—Ellery P. Ingham, ex-United States district attorney, and his law partner and former assistant, Harvey K. Newitt, were sentenced today by Judge McPherson to imprisonment for two years and six months and to pay a fine of $1 and the costs of their trial for conspiracy in attempting to bribe a secret service detective in connection with the recent big revenue stamp counterfeiting conspiracy.

DIAMOND PIN

VALUED AT $100 FOUND IN A TURKEY.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

PASAIC, N. J., Nov. 24.—Every one is eating turkey.

All the specimens of national poultry in town were sold off last night at an advance of two cents a pound. Yesterday there were heavy turkey shipments from New York, and no one would cook anything else for dinner.

The demand for the gobblers is due to the fact that Hyman Richmond of seconds treet, a butcher, found a turkey diamond mine.

He bought a crate of the birds in Fulton Market, and gave one of them to his wife to cook. She killed it and on performing the autopsy was pleased to find in the stomach a fine diamond pin.

Jeweler Rubitsky of Second street said the pin was worth $100, and offered $30 for it.

How the bird obtained the pin is of course not known, but it is suspected that it "burglarized" a jeweler's store. It was reported that the turkey once belonged to a Newark diamond merchant.

When the news of the find got out, a rush was made for the crate of turkeys. They were ruthlessly slaughtered, smelled, analyzed and assayed, but they consisted simply of turkey and nothing else.

Before the massacre speculators offered $25 each for the turkeys, believing a rumor that in the express car in which they went to Passaic was a barrel of the jewelry consigned to a Paterson firm which they had broken into and devoured.

A Passaic natural history expert says that turkeys have some of the characteristics of magpies and steal diamonds

DUKE OF MANCHESTER

DECLINES TO GO ON THE STAGE.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW YORK, Nov. 24—The Duke of Manchester will not follow in the stageward footsteps of his fellow peer, the Earl of Yarmouth, as has ben recently reported

His decision was made on Monday, when he received an offer from Nat C. Goodwin to play the "heavy villain," part in "The Lady and the Cowboy," at a golf-selected salary.

The young nobleman declined the offer, and said that his only dramatic aspirations were amateur and not professional.

Mr. Goodwin and his wife, Maxine Elliott were the Duke's guests last summer in Ireland.

WILL STRIKE

RAILWAY MEN WANT THEIR DEMANDS GRANTED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

DETROIT, Mich., Nov. 24—After a meeting lasting four hours, the street railway employes of this city, decided to strike within 48 hours unless the Citizens 'Railway company acceeds to certain demands which will be presented today. The demands include the reinstatement of certain discharged employes and adjustment of differences with regard to the crews of suburban cars running into the city.

BANK ROBBED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

JANESVILLE, Wis., Nov. 24.—The bank of Milton, at Milton, three miles north of this city, was entered by burglars Wednesday night, the vault broken open and $600 in cash, $10 in revenue stamps, and $1,520 in coupon government bonds were taken.

TRIED HANGING

BUT ROPE BROKE AND CALLAHAN WAS FATALLY INJURED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

SALEM, Mass., Nov. 24.—A man who was arrested for drunkenness last night and when when lodged in the city lock-up, gave his name as Daniel Callahan, attempted to commit suicide by hanging in his cell early this morning. The man tied his pocket handkerchief around his neck and attached the other end to the grating of the cell door. When his weight was thrown upon the handkerchief it broke and Callahan fell heavily to the stone floor, striking upon the back of his head. The sound of the fall attracted the night watchman who summoned medical aid, but the man died two hours later at 7.30 o'clock.

The night watchman says he was talking with Callahan not more than 10 minutes before he heard the fall. The man seemed perfectly sober and apparently had no intention of committing suicide.

BIG FIRE

STOREHOUSE IN KEENE DESTROYED THIS MORNING.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

KEENE, N. H., Nov. 24.—The dry-house and storehouse of the Beaver Woodenware factory here, was burned early this morning together with a large quantity of machinery and stock. The storehouse was a large, two-story wooden building and contained four hundred cords of staves and a large number of finished pails. The firemen worked for over an hour and with difficulty saved the main buildings of the plant. The fire deprives sixty men of work until the buildings can be restored.

The fire caught from the apparatus in the drying house. Loss estimated $12,000; insurance only $2500.

PROBABLY DROWNED

GALLAGHER'S BICYCLE FOUND ON BANK OF RESERVOIR.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BROCKTON, Mass., Nov. 24.—John E. Gallagher, charged with the shooting of McMahon at Taunton, is believed to have drowned himself in the Brockton reservoir at Avon. His bicycle has been found on the bank and people who saw the man have identified him. Officers are searching for the body.

KENTUCKY'S TRIAL

Her First Laps Behind the Kearsarge's

TIDE AND WIND AGAINST HER.

Good Time Expected on Return Trip

By Associated Press to The Sun.

ROCKPORT, Mass., Nov. 24.—The new battleship Kentucky started on her official speed trial at 10:26:05, this forenoon, over the regular course off here. The weather conditions were ideal and notwithstanding the fear of old salts that something would go wrong on account of the day chosen for the run, the speed conditions could hardly be improved upon.

The Kentucky was first seen about 8 o'clock. Slowly she came down the coast until she reached a point about a mile from the starting line when she increased her speed and made her course for the first mark boat, the government tug Piscataqua.

There was a heavy ground swell, the few sailing craft in sight pitching and tossing about, but it did not appear to have much effect upon the great warship. The off-shore wind tended to lessen the swell gradually.

The Kentucky crossed the line at 9:17:10, but it was noticed by the observers on shore that no speed flag was hoisted. She kept on for a half mile and then the wheel was thrown over suddenly, the ship heading out to sea. About 10 minutes were spent in cutting circles. The vessel was started once more towards the open sea, and a long circle was described. At this time the forced draught was applied and the engineers laid their plans to store up steam for the long run over the course. Her head was finally pointed toward Boston Light. For 15 minutes she kept on this course and then turned, heading directly for the Piscataqua on the starting line. As she neared the starting point her speed was gradually increased; the combination of a forced draught and the soft coal sending great volumes of dense, black smoke out of her two enormous buff-colored funnels. As she neared her limit of speed her great bow tore through the water and whenever the battleship would slightly bend to some great swell of the sea, her mighty momentum would toss it upward on the sides into foamy spray which completely enveloped her forward deck. Quickly she came down to the line and at 10:26:05 the speed flag was run up and with a sharp blow of the whistle, the Kentucky was off.

Never on a trial trip off here have the builders of a battleship been favored with a clearer view of the course than was the case today. Straight as an arrow, the vessel ran for the first mark boat, the battleship Texas, which was passed at 10:51:30. Twenty-five minutes twenty-five seconds had thus elapsed during which the vessel had made 6.6 miles, showing a speed of 15.57 knots per hour. This time was considered slow in comparison with the run of the Kentucky's sistership the Kearsarge over the same part of the course The Kearsarge covered the distance in 22 minutes 2 seconds a speed of 17.50 knots.

As the Kentucky sped by the Texas she appeared to be gaining. The smoke came thicker and blacker, and the spray from the waves was thrown higher into the air. On she rushed and twenty-four minutes and forty seconds later, or at 11:05:10, she was abreast of the second mark-boat, the Lighthouse tender Mayflower. Over this distance she showed a speed of 16.65 against 17.50 made by the Kearsarge. The tide and wind were both against the Kentucky on this run. It was predicted that on the return she would show better speed as the wind and tide favors her. At 11.48 she was hull down on the horizon, her position being indicated only by her huge smoke trail.

A few minutes after 1 o'clock, the battleship was seen returning and at 1:51:50 she passed the Mayflower, 13.2 knots from the finish. When the time was taken as the vessel passed the Mayflower, it showed she had been steaming three hours, twenty-five minutes and forty seconds since the start. By deducting the time consumed in turning, estimated at 21 minutes the estimated actual time up to this mark is 3:04:40, which would indicate an average speed of 17.15 knots. This made it practically certain that the speed of the Kearsarge would be outdone.

The Kentucky passed the Texas at 2:18:05, and at 2:12:30 she crossed the finish line, the last leg showing a speed of 16.21 knots. The total elapsed time since starting was 4:16:30. Deducting 21 minutes, the estimated time of the turn, the actual time of the run was 3:55:30, giving an average speed of 16.81 knots per hour. The last two legs were apparently slow, and cut down the average for the entire run somewhat.

Mr. William Ludwig, the famous Irish baritone, will sing at the 10.30 o'clock mass at St. Patrick's church, Sunday morning

A BIG BLUNDER

Republican Ward Nominations Invalidated

PAPERS WERE NOT FILED IN TIME

Must Now File Independent Nomination Papers

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LAWRENCE, Nov. 24.—Talleyrand said a blunder was worse than a crime. All the republican candidates nominated by Thursday's caucuses are willing to agree that the French statesman hit the nail plumb on the head.

For all of the ward nominations made at Thursday's republican caucuses are invalid by reason of the failure on the part of the caucus officials to file the requisite papers with the city clerk according to law. If their names go on the ballot at all, it can only be as independents, not as republicans.

The candidates affected are those for common council and overseers of the poor.

In each ward last night the candidates were hustling for the requisite 50 signatures to allow of their names going on the ballot at all.

The law requires that the chairman and secretary shall file within 72 hours of the time of holding the caucus, the proper paper with the city clerk. This was not done until Wednesday, when the time had expired.

Secretary Stuart of the City committee had his attention called to the matter on Monday by City Clerk Corcoran and endeavored to remedy, as far as lay in his power, the anomalous situation created. Papers were filed on Wednesday with the signatures of the caucus officers attached. These papers, even though belated will be legal, except in one contingency, which is UNLESS BEFORE NEXT TUESDAY OBJECTIONS ARE FILED BY TWO VOTERS, who may be of ANY POLITICAL PARTY.

That contingency is likely to be availed of by some of the democrats.

Therefore to provide against this contingency, it will be necessary for each candidate nominated by the ward caucuses to secure 50 signatures in their ward as independent candidates and file them with the city clerk before 5 o'clock tonight, the earlier the better, in order that he signatures may be verified.

The candidates nominated at the convention Monday night are not affected, because their papers were properly filed in due season by the clerk of the convention.

As the names will ultimately go on the ballot as "INDEPENDENTS" by party designations being allowed with candidates running on nomination papers, the outcome, it is feared, will be detrimental to republican control of the city government, for it will be confusing to the voters who are accustomed to following the party designations and is likely to result in serious loss of votes—how far-reaching can only be surmised. It is a fact, though sufficient to cause forebodings to the staunch republican.

The candidates who will have to file independent papers are these:

Councilmen:

Ward one—Emil J. Muehlig, Robert T. Price, John Spinlow.

Ward two—Thomas Barker, John P. Gaines, Harry Watts.

Ward three—William P. White.

Ward four—Joseph Donovan, Fred O. Richardson, Pearl A. Pontaine.

Ward five—Charles H. Chesto, Albert Evans, Frank Smith.

Ward six—Francis A. Hallinal, Harmon C. Drew, John Walker, Jr.

For school committee:

Ward one—Frank L. Porter, Fred H. Eaton.

For overseers of the poor:

Ward five—George Collins.

Ward six—Mark Monahan.

INSTANTLY KILLED

BRAKEMAN CRUSHED UNDER WHEELS OF AN ENGINE.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

PORTLAND, Me., Nov. 24.—Clarence E. Farfon, a Maine Central brakeman, turned the switch at Cumberland mills this morning at 9 o'clock and then attempted to step on the front of a shifting engine as it went by. He missed his footing and fell head foremost under the wheels. His head was crushed to pulp and death was instantaneous. He had been employed by the road four years and belonged in Bartlett, N. H. He was 24 years old and unmarried.

PRISONERS CREMATED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

JELLICO, Tenn., Nov. 24.—Branville Nell and John Spronis, who were arrested for drunkenness last night were cremated in a fire which destroyed the jail and several buildings near it this morning.

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HUMMEL ARRESTED

CHARGED WITH SLAUGHTER OF WIFE AND CHILDREN.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WILLIAMSPORT, Pa., Nov. 24.—William Hummel, charged with the slaughter of his wife and three stepchildren, three of whose bodies were found under a straw stack last night, was arrested today. When approached by the officers and before he was notified that they were after him, he shouted "Not guilty." When shown the bodies of his victims, he doubted their identity and insisted that they were still alive.

AGED COUPLE TORTURED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

CUMBERLAND, Md., Nov. 24.—Joseph Earl, aged 85 years and his wife, over 80 years, were tortured and robbed at Glencoe, early yesterday morning by a band of masked men. The old people were cruelly beaten and the soles of their feet were burned with torches before they would make known the hiding place of their money. The culprits obtained over $800. Earl and his wife are in a precarious condition.

TOWN WASHED AWAY.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Nov. 24.—A Star special from San Antonio, Tex., says a portion of the town of Cotulla, 60 miles west, was washed away by a cloudburst early this morning. A merchant named Walker with his wife was drowned.

INPOSURE AND ALCOHOLISM.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BRISTOL, R. I., Nov. 24.—Coroner Spencer, who inquired into the circumstances attending the death of Herman Gottlieb, an inmate of the poor and soldiers' home, here, today forwarded his report to the attorney general. The finding of the coroner is that the soldier came to his death through exposure and alcoholism.

NEW CORPORATIONS.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

TRENTON, N. J., Nov. 24.—Among the incorporations here today were the following:

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The Fall River Bleachery company, capital $900,000, organized to bleach, dye and print textile fabrics.

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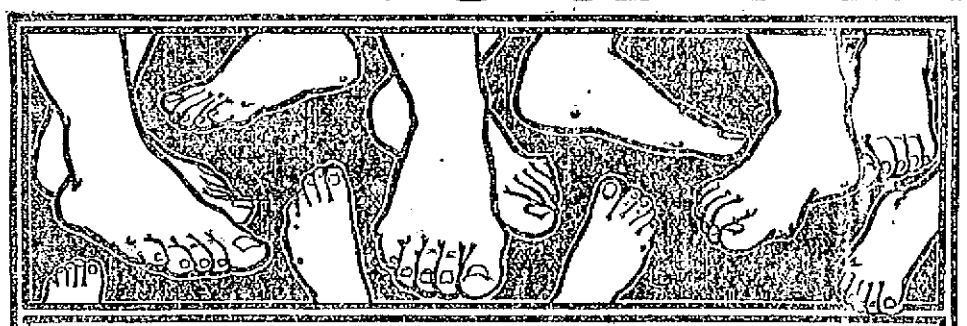

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WINTER ARRANGEMENT.

In effect October 2, 1899. Trains leave Merrimack street depot, Lowell, as follows:

For Boston, 5.43, 6.25, c6.42, *7.45, *8.50, c9.16, *9.40, 11.00 a. m.; 1.40, c3.00, 4.25, c4.41 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m.

Trains leave Middlesex street station Lowell, as follows:

For Boston, 6.15, 6.25, c6.45, w6.50, 7.01, *7.20, *7.25, 7.31, *7.35, w8.00, *8.37, c9.19, w9.26, *9.50, w10.30, 11.03, *11.42 a. m.; w12.00, 12.05, w12.45, 1.31, w2.20, c3.03, w3.10, c3.14, w3.55, 4.25, w5.15, 5.22, c5.10, w6.05, c6.22, 6.03, *7.47, w9.25 p. m. SUNDAYS, 7.00, 7.29, w8.15, 8.45, 9.13 a. m., w12.00, w1.05, 4.25, w6.20, 6.43, w7.25, 9. m.

For Lawrence, 6.28, w6.36, 7.31, w8.37, 9.50, w10.05, w10.50 a. m., w12.05, 1.35, w3.15, 4.35, w5.15, w6.15, w7.00, w9.25, w10.25 p. m. SUNDAYS, w8.45 a. m.; w12.05, w5.50, w7.25 p. m.

For Salem, Marblehead, 7.31 a. m.; w12.05, 4.35, w5.15, 6.50 p. m.

For Haverhill, 6.28, 6.36, 7.31, 8.30, 9.25, 10.50 a. m.; 12.05, 1.35, 3.15, 4.35, w5.15, 6.15, 7.00, 9.25, 10.25 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m.; 12.05, 5.50, 7.25 p. m.

For Newburyport, Amesbury and Portsmouth, 6.28 a. m.; 12.05, 1.35, 4.35, 6.15 p. m.

For Exeter and Dover, 6.28, 7.31, 8.30, 9. a. m.; 12.05, 1.35, 4.35, 5.15 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.00 p. m.

For Rochester and Alton Bay, 7.30 a. m.; 12.05, 3.55 p. m.

For Somersworth, N. H., Saco, Old Orchard and Portland, 6.28, 7.31, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 1.35 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.50 p. m. for Somersworth and Portland.

For Augusta, Bath, Waterville, 6.28, 8.30, a. m.; 12.05, 6.15 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.30 p. m.

For Lewiston, 6.28, 8.30, a. m.; 12.05, 6.15, m.

For Skowhegan, 8.30 a. m.

For Bangor, Belfast, and Rockland, 8.30 a. m.; 6.15 p. m., Saturday for Belfast and Rockland. SUNDAYS, 5.50 p. m.

For St. John's, N. B., Halifax, N. S., Montreal and Quebec, 6.15 p. m. (6.15 does not connect Saturdays.) SUNDAYS, 5.50 p. m.

For Eastport and St. John (via steamer from Portland), on Mondays, for St. John only and Thursdays, at 12.05 p. m.

For Castine, Deer Isle, Sedgewick, Bar Harbor, Jonesport and Machiasport (via steamer Frank Jones from Portland), Tuesdays and Fridays at 6.15 p. m.

For Woburn, 6.28, 7.00, 7.31, *7.45, 11.03 a. m.; 1.45, 4.28 p. m.; SUNDAYS, 8.45 a. m.; 1.35, 6.55 p. m.

For Ayer and Way Stations—7.10 a. m.; 12.00, 6.01 and 6.42 p. m. SUNDAYS, 2.15 p. m.

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton, 9.12 a. m.; 1.00, 3.41, 5.40 p. m. SUNDAYS, 2 p. m.

For Greenfield, Peterboro, Hillsboro and Keene, 9.12 a. m.; 3.41 p. m. SUNDAYS, to Hillsboro, 2 p. m.

For Nashua, Manchester and Concord, 7.10, 9.12, *9.40 a. m.; *12.12, 1.00, *1.40, 3.41, *5.12, 6.27, *8.19, *9.13 p. m. SUNDAYS, 10.00 a. m. (to Nashua only), 8.09 a. m., 7.05, 8.02, 8.19, 8.47 p. m.

For Franklin, Lebanon and White River Junction, 9.12, *9.40 a. m., *12.12, *1.40 (to Franklin only), 5.40, *8.19 p. m.

For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport, (N. H.) Claremont and Claremont Junction, 7.10 a. m.; 1.40 p. m.

For St. Johnsbury and Lyndonville, via Wells River, *9.40 a. m.; *1.40, *8.40 p. m.

Montpelier, Essex Jct., Burlington, St. Albans, St. Johns and Montreal, via Central Vermont Line, *9.40 a. m.; *12.12, *8.19 p. m.

For Montreal and Quebec, via Montreal and Boston Air Line, *9.40 a. m.; *8.19 p. m.

QUEBEC EXPRESS, via Plymouth and Sherbrooke *1.40 a. m.; *8.19 p. m. ex. Sat.

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SERGEANT WILLIAM ANTHONY, SAILOR OF THE BATTLESHIP MAINE WHO SUICIDED IN CENTRAL PARK, NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—William Anthony better known as "Brave Bill" Anthony, died at the Presbyterian hospital yesterday half an hour after he had swallowed a quantity of cocaine at one of the Central Park entrances.

William Anthony was the man who on February 15, 1898, when the battleship Maine was blown up in Havana harbor, reported to Captain Sigsbee the famous words: "Sir, I have the honor to report that the ship has been blown up and is sinking."

On his return to this country, Anthony was accorded receptions everywhere. He received invitations from cities to be their guest. For months he travelled over the country, being accorded the honors of a hero.

When his leave of absence was ended, Anthony was promoted to be a sergeant of marines and was detailed at the Brooklyn navy yard. Soon afterwards he was married. For several months past nothing has been heard of Anthony by the public.

Yesterday afternoon he was seen at the entrance to Central Park by several persons. Nearby were two park policemen and a park ambulance attendant. They saw Anthony but no particular attention was paid to him.

Suddenly he pulled a bottle from his coat pocket and placed it to his lips. In an instant the policemen were at his side, but it was too late. He had emptied the bottle. Anthony was carried to the ambulance and hurried to the Presbyterian hospital. He was not unconscious and on the way to the hospital he told the policeman that he lived in Albany refusing to disclose his identity. Nothing could be done to save his life and not until he died was it learned who he was.

In one of Anthony's pockets was found a letter written by him to his aunt, which stated that he was discouraged and disconsolate and was going to end it all. Among the other articles found was a picture of his one-month-old child on the back of which was written: "Bury this with me."

A Spanish-American war medal such as all the survivors of the battleship Maine received was also found. Anthony's wife it is said, lives in Guyanoga, Yates county, N. Y.

SECRET FOOTBALL

Played by the Tigers of Princeton

PREPARATORY TO THE YALE GAME

Team is Carefully Guarded Against Spies

When Sir Lipton's yacht Shamrock, says a New York writer, waltzed into the arena clad in petticoats, a new feature was introduced in sports which has spread with rapid contagion over the whole field from croquet to pinochle. This new element in competitive sports is secrecy and football has been made a victim. Theosophy and Christian Science are tame diversions compared with the dark-lantern mysteriousness in which secret practices are conducted by the leading football teams this season. If this hide-and-seek tendency of football continues to develop, the game will soon drop out of sight altogether.

I was privileged to be present at the secret practice of the Princeton football team this week. I was just outside the secret and far enough away from the fence to be out of range of the howitzers posted around the gridiron to keep off the spies from Yale. The football field was completely isolated from the world and the practice as completely cut off from the world as the British garrison at Ladysmith.

I skirmished around outside the lines of sentinels, trying hard to find an elevated kopje somewhere from which I could get a glimpse of the field but the kopjes don't grow very high around Princeton and so I had to give it up and try strategy.

Every Princeton student is an old sleuth with his weather eye on the lookout for a Yale man and the challenge "Who goes there?" is hurled at every unfamiliar face that peeps into college grounds.

A line of scouts stretch around the field on all sides, armed with clubs ready to repel the invader. All the knot-holes in the fence are carefully plugged up with putty. Prof. Young's class in astronomy have their telescopes trained on the station at Princeton Junction and sweep the surrounding country. Grover Cleveland is tramping the meadows with a Mauser slung over his shoulder scanning for Yalers. Freshmen armed with canes patrol the campus. It will go bad with the guy who dares to penetrate the secrets of the 'varsity practice. Nothing is allowed to leak out. The drains are plugged up. The classes in literature are busy with the scissors censoring every written thing that goes out.

It is pretty safe to say that when the teams line up on the field Saturday the Yale team will walk over to the grandstand, take seats and watch the Princetonians do stunts weird and wonderful. At any rate one would think from the mysterious practice and unusual precautions they have been taking that they were going to spring some new-fangled war dance on the bewildered Yalesters.

There is hardly any doubt that they have a skirt on the football, a la Lipton's Shamrock, to hide the beautiful lines of its physiognomy, and surely the players must be dressed in like fashion to conceal their shapes so that Yale can't possibly find out just how they size up in physical beauty. I have a suspicion that masks are worn also to conceal their faces.

For the information of Yale I wish to surmise that the new signals are simply undecipherable. They are very Chinesey and have been carefully worked out by the department of philology grinding overtime by rush lights. The whole Princeton department of trinonometry and calculus have been pumping perspiration over the intricacies of double passes and fake kicks down in the dark cellars of the dormitories.

On the field the signals are given in precipitated whispers by voices specially condensed in the physiological laboratory and sensitized cats have been supplied by the same agency. The players wear pneumatic shoes to deaden the sound of their tread on the earth so that information cannot reach Yale via China.

Overhead the atmosphere has been opaquelled by scientific methods to escape the observation of balloons and in order to be perfectly safe from Yale all the blue rays from the daylight have been condensed into a large lump and cast into the furnace.

Yale doesn't know what she is going up against when she tackles these wily Tigers from Princeton Saturday. Nobody knows but the team and the coaches. And even they don't know when they get outside the grounds. Ask them and see. It will be pretty hard for the Tigers to have to give up their treasured secrets on Saturday after all the hard work they have expended in concealing them. Will they refuse to work their tricks on Yale? That is another secret.

CRISP GOSSIP.

The expression, "let the office seek the man," did not originate in Kentucky.

This is a polite way of notifying a man's discharge from the reformatory: "Mr. John Smith has just returned from a prolonged visit to Concord Junction."

Hobo is a common word among the Sioux or Dakota Indians. They use the word in referring to young men who have nothing to do. An old chief will correct a son for such tendencies by saying, "You act like a hobo."

An enterprising young man with a big trunk stopped at a Chicago hotel. When he left the discovery was made that he had removed the carpet from his room and carried it away. The proprietor thought himself lucky he did not make away with the hotel.

People who come to tell you how much they like you usually have an axe to grind.

Perhaps the weather man has been informed of the threatened coal famine.

November 12 has come and passed and did not prove so unlucky for the world after all. This was the date predicted by Prof. Rudolph Falb of Vienna for a comet to strike the earth and partially, if not wholly destroy it. The professor can now explain how the calamity was averted.

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HANDY WITH MITS

Gens. Miles and Wenton Were Clever Boxers

Think of the commanding general of the army and the commissary general of subsistence as the best boxers in the army! General Miles had used the gloves with great effect upon a great many of his fellow officers but he met his match in General Weston, and more than his match in Brigadier General Leonard A. Wood, now commanding the department of Santiago. The fight with General Weston was declared a draw, while in the "scrap" with General Wood General Miles got a crack on the jaw which caused him to be counted out.

General Miles and General Weston have always prided themselves upon their athletic accomplishments. Though both had seen hard service in the civil war and one of them had been wounded more than once in the Wilderness and the other had been through several arduous Indian campaigns on the frontier, they were at the time of the fight which is historic in the annals of the army, active and quick, in fact, "fit" for the work cut out for them.

Both were known as the crack boxers of the army. Which was the better of the two, was the question.

One bright, frosty morning after a deal of palaverting at the officers' club General Miles and Captain Weston accompanied by six bottle holders, their seconds, two timekeepers, officers and the chaplain, who volunteered to act as referee, wended their way to a barranca, a mile or two from the post and stripped for action. No enlisted men was permitted to be present. It was remarked by several of the onlookers that "Weston was trained a bit too fine," but "John stripped beautifully."

After the chaplain had instructed the principals in the center of the ring, they were gloved and ordered to their corners.

As there was no gong, it was agreed that the referee should clap his hands and cry "Quit!" at the end of every three minutes; then the principals were to retire each to his corner for refreshment and rest.

"Gentlemen, let her go," said the referee, "but gently, gentlemen. Do not, I beg of you, excite yourselves. Be calm, gentlemen."

The round ended, the chaplain clapped his hands, shouted "Quit!" and the principals retired each to his corner. Again the principals advanced to the center of the ring, and after a rare exhibition of sparring Miles made a tremendous effort and upper cut, but the blow missed Weston, who wheeled around to deliver a pivot blow, which Miles dodged, but the impetus was such that Weston kept spinning like a top until the chaplain again clapped his hands and shouted "Quit!" Weston went to his corner groggy.

After five more rounds the chaplain, after long consideration and much argument with the witness, solemnly announced that it was a draw and declared all bets off.

That was satisfactory, but it was found that the principals were completely exhausted by their efforts, so much so, indeed, that it was necessary to send to the post for the water wagon to convey them to the hospital where they remained under the surgeons' treatment for three weeks.

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LABOR MATTERS

FARM AND CITY LABOR

SOME INTERESTING FIGURES FROM AN INDIANA STATE BUREAU.

Farm Laborers $13.89 a Month, With Their Board—Wages of City Worker Higher, but His Rural Brother Has Some Advantages.

State Statistician Connors has just completed the compilation of statistics out of the ordinary, which will, though they apply to Indiana alone, be of general interest over the Mississippi valley, as they are probably the first compiled in any of the great valley states which bear upon the condition and wage of farm labor. He has accumulated his information through canvass made by township trustees. There are a few of the 1,980 trustees who failed to make the report, but what has been brought together gives a very fair insight to the farm labor conditions in this and other states of the valley, where the conditions are practically the same.

There are 33,404 men employed on Indiana farms. They are receiving an average wage of $13.89 a month, together with their board. There are 11,714 women employed on farms as domestics and in other capacities. Their average pay is $1.56 a week, together with their board. The wages of farm hands range from $10.50—the lowest found in Jackson county—to $16.70 a month, the average in Warren county. The highest wage paid to the women is $2.29 a week, in Newton county. This, of course, includes board. Marion county heads the list with the number of women employed in homes, with 1,645, while Knox leads in the number of male farm hands with 972. The county employing the least number is diminutive Ohio, which has but 20. The counties having next to the highest number of farm hands are Tippecanoe, 858; Benton, the same number; Shelby, 851; Posey, 821, and Marion, 664. Putnam and Newton are next to Warren in highest wages, paying respectively $16.55 and $16.17.

These figures, which show rather meager wages on a cash basis, however, have to be taken with some allowance, and it is difficult to ascertain the true status of the farm hand compared with the laborer in the city. Whether he shall be counted as a common or a skilled laborer makes a very great difference. On a basis of scientific horticulture and agriculture, at least 90 per cent of them would be classed as common laborers. If this is their classification, they are much better off than the common laborer in the cities and towns of Indiana, as statistics recently compiled through the same avenues will show. If, however, it is considered that they are masters of an art and are therefore skilled laborers, their cash wages do not compare favorably with those of the workers in shops and factories. If there is in farm work a circumscribed opportunity beyond which the farm boy cannot step higher than the status of a common laborer—on at least a wage basis—the figures which have just been compiled, taken together with those which follow, will in a measure answer forcibly that long mooted question, "Why do the boys leave the farm?"

Indiana skilled labor is well paid. The wages compare very favorably with the states showing the highest. In most of the industries indicated below the wage scales are drafted and annually accepted by national wage committees of manufacturers and workers. This makes an equality on wages all over the nation. Wages of skilled workers—in Indiana—making agricultural implements and machinery average $1.92 a day; makers of engines, boilers and machinery average $2.02; furniture makers, $1.63; glass workers, $1.98; iron and steel workers, $2.29; paper and paper ware makers, $1.81; railway construction, equipment and shipbuilders, $2.06; wagon and buggy makers, $1.64; tin plate makers, $3.35 (the highest wage paid in the state; planing mill skilled workers, $1.88; brewers, $1.78; an average of $2.75. These figures cover but a few of the principal industries.

It is difficult to average the wage of the common laborers in Indiana. Many of them receive very remunerative pay and others doing more mental work are getting pinpor wages. There are so many things that have to be considered that thus far it has been found impossible to take a census covering this information. It has been estimated, however, that common laborers above the age of 16—under which Labor is termed "child"—average between 65 and 75 cents a day in Indiana and that this is a very great improvement in the last several years. In this classification, however, are included all workers who "shift" for themselves, many of whom are unable to find employment.

In casting the totals of the city and country workers, another very great item also has to be taken into consideration. The farm laborer is provided with board and lodging, items of expense which amount to much with city workers. It is estimated that this averages $4 a week.

The extra expenses which the town and city man has also have to be taken into consideration. All of these figures are on a basis of average; they should not be accepted as special estimates on living. There are some farm laborers in Indiana who are getting $22 to $25 a month; there are some specially skilled workers who are getting extra compensation, but those paid lower wages lessen the showing.

Figures can also be had which will show the opportunity for rising above the lower level of a worker into that of an employer or landowner. It is claimed that the opportunity of the former boy is better in this respect than of twenty workmen.—Indianapolis Letter in Chicago Record.

A TYPICAL HOODLUM.

A Product of Nineteenth Century So Called Christian Civilization.

Jacob Bereshein was 15 when he was charged with murder, says Jacob A. Riis in September Atlantic. It is now more than three years ago, but the touch of his hand is cold upon mine with mortal fear as I write. Every few minutes, during our long talk on the night of his arrest and confession, he would spring to his feet and, clutching my arm as a drowning man catches at a rope, demand with shaking voice, "Will they give me the chair?" The assurance that boys were not executed quieted him only for the moment. Then the dread and the horror were upon him again.

Jacob is a type of the street boy on the east side, where he belonged. What does not apply to him applies to his class. But there was very little of it indeed that he missed or that missed him.

He was born in a tenement where the sunlight "never entered." Darkness and discouragement did, and dirt.

The street taught him gambling as its first lesson and stealing as the next. The two are never far apart. From shooting craps behind the "cop's" back to filching from the grocer's stock is only a step. Then there was the law which sternly commanded him to go to school, and which he laughed at every day. Then there was the law to prevent child labor. It cost 25 cents for a false age certificate to break that, and Jacob, if he thought of it at all, probably thought of perjury as rather an expensive thing. A quarter was a good deal for the right to lock a child up in a factory when he ought to have been at play. The excise law was everybody's game. The sign that hung in every saloon saying that nothing was sold there to minors never yet barred out his "growler" when he had the price. There was another such sign in the tobacco shop, forbidding the sale of cigarettes to boys of his age.

Jacob calculated that when he had the money he smoked as many as 15 in a day, and he laughed when he told me. He laughed, too, when he remembered how the boys of the east side took to carrying balls of cord in their pocket, on the wave of the Lexow reform, on purpose to measure the distance from the school door to the nearest saloon. They had been told that it should be 200 feet according to law. There were schools that had as many as a dozen within the tabooed limits. It was in the papers how, when the highest courts said that the law was good, the saloon keepers attacked the schools as a nuisance and detrimental to property. Jacob sided with the saloon keeper, not because he had any opinion about it, but because it seemed natural. Such opinions as he ordinarily had he got from that quarter.

When, later on, he came to be tried, his counsel said to me, "He is an amazing liar." No, hardly amazing. It would have been amazing if he had been anything else. Lying and lockery were all around him, and he adjusted himself to the things that were. He lied in self defense.

The New American Way.

There is a bright outlook for the model garment making colony established at New Orange, N. J., by Max Ernst, the New York clothing manufacturer. Fifty families left New York the other day for the new settlement. Ernst is conducting a large workroom on Broadway, near Spring street a kind of training school, from which are graduated the workers for New Orange, where it is intended ultimately to employ 600 operatives.

General Secretary White of the National Garment Workers' union, speaking of this improvement by Ernst in the method of manufacturing clothing, said: "The sweatshop has existed so long because we have been willing to adopt the methods of continental Europe. We are making clothing as they make it in the sweatshops of Russia, Germany and Austria, and we ought to be ashamed to confess it. The new American way is to give the workers plenty of room, light and fresh air. All these things they will get, as I understand it, at New Orange."

Benevolence of Big Six.

Apropos of the bitter war of misrepresentation and vilification which the New York Sun is carrying on against Typographical union No. 6—against all unions of labor, in fact—it is well to know that during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1899, No. 6 disbursed to its unemployed and retired members, $32,925.27; paid funeral benefits in the same period, $10,950.00; paid the Childs-Drexel home for aged printers, $6,250; paid to its farm project, an experimental plan to aid the unemployed, $3,453.25; for headstones to mark the graves of deceased members, $243.91; paid to New York hospitals, $1,461.90. Showing a total of $55,284.93 expended for benevolent purposes in a single year, while during the same period No. 6 expended only $165.26 in the conduct of strikes and warfare with employers.

Wright on Machinery.

There has been no debasement of humanity by the substitution of machinery for human labor, and there is no danger in such substitution. Machinery has not helped to create new and tremendous inequalities of society or turned thousands into tramps and vagabonds or hardened the natural selfishness of men in any way, as is so often asserted. It has been the means of reducing the workday from 12 to 14 hours to 9 or 10, and the inevitable result will be the still further reduction in the time necessary for the earning of a living. It has not only shortened the work day; it has also increased the remuneration per hour.—Carroll D. Wright.

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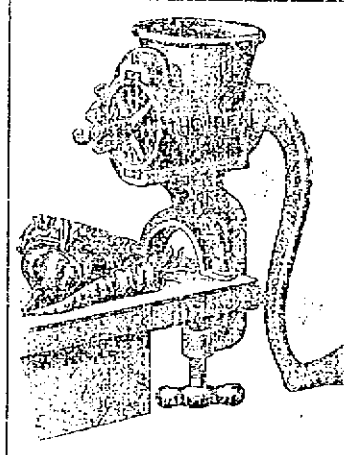

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LITERARY NOTES.

A few weeks ago since, being the recipient imposed by the very favorable notices in the Times and other journals, I read Mr. Winston Churchill's now famous novel, "Richard Carvel," and while in the vein, concluded to add "Hugh Wynne, Free Quaker," to my "have read" shelf. I read "Carvel" with magnified pleasure and "Wynne" with wonder. Had the perusal of "Wynne" preceded that of "Carvel" I would have wondered less; more as I read the latter, "Carvel" so like "Wynne" in many respects. Mr. Churchill's novel is quite presented as Churchill's and as the latter acknowledged as the historical and semi-historical matter that had been written around the revolutionary times, the inference is that he included "Hugh Wynne." If not, it is remarkable how closely his hero follows Dr. Mitchell's "Free Quaker." Dates, Wynne in Annapolis and Carvel in Philadelphia, and the story of one would fit that of the other. Hugh was wounded by a bad screaming cousin; Richard's uncle was an uncle. Hugh had an always present fairy aunt—Richard's grandmother was his protecting angel. In his youth Hugh's aunt presented him a mare "Nancy" fleet as the wind and he became a masterful rider, which served him later in the war. Richard's grandfather bought him "Firefly," a name of lively disposition, and he learned to ride like a centaur which afterward served him well when challenged to ride for his life down the Indian streets.

Hugh's father was an uncompromising tory—Richard's grandfather loved the king next to his God. Hugh early imbibed Whig principles from his friend Wayson, the lawyer, carefully concealed the fact from his father—so hard to do—he was taught patriotic ideas in his friend Swain, the lawyer, and his grandfather did not hear of the fact for years after. Hugh went to an academy in the Quaker City and showed his courage in several standup fights. Richard did the same in Annapolis. When Hugh was only a bunch of a boy an old soldier, given to prophecy in his life moments predicted that some day he would be a great general in his sphere and an old mariner between his gaps, cast Richard's horoscope and declared he would become a senator of renown. Exciting is the duel which Hugh and his bosom friend fight with the two British officers who thought their dislike to a rebel Dandy well told by the pistol a quarter in which Richard and his bosom friend engage with their unscrupulous adversaries in the darkness of Vauxhall gardens. The love stories of Hugh and Dorthea and of Richard and Dorothy run on parallel lines; the two girls are as like in temperament and disposition as in name.

These are a few of the parallel lines; all are wonderfully interesting; both excellently well writ; but how I wished when I concluded "Hugh Wynne, Free Quaker" that it had come first to me or that I read only "Richard Carvel," and I say—prosaic.—[Writer in New York Times.]

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"I have always thought it worth while to warn the cook wherever I happen to be to make Postum properly, that is, by boiling it long enough. Please do not print my name."
This lady lives in Pasadena, Cal., and the name will be given on application to the Postum Co. at Battle Creek, Mich.

SYNDICATE BALL

Ebbetts of Brooklyn Opposes It

MAY DROP DODGERS FROM LEAGUE

News of the Base Ball World

Charley Ebbets, president of the Brooklyn Base Ball club, talked base ball yesterday. He took under consideration many of the rumors flying about, relative to base ball in general and the Brooklyn club in particular. He was very reluctant at first to say nothing, but finally told a reporter what follows:

"Things are going smoothly now and I don't care to bring myself into controversy with those in or out of the influence of the National League.

"But regarding the dropping of the Brooklyn club from the league, I think there isn't any probability of that. I think, really, there is no intention on the part of the league magnates to attempt to force the club out. Our contract with the National League does not expire for two years to come, and it was entered into when Brooklyn was a city in itself. The consolidation of the two cities should not affect it in the least, to my mind.

"Why should Brooklyn be dropped? Haven't we always tried to furnish good base ball? Haven't we always shown that we had the elevation of the game at heart?

"The game became rather dull in Brooklyn in 1898. We were nearly as good as other teams, but the patrons of the game clamored for better ball. Something had to be done. What then? We consolidated with Baltimore, brought the best players into the Brooklyn team, and gave our city better satisfaction for their money than they have had for some time. If other teams had done likewise the ideal in base ball would have been reached.

"We made money in Brooklyn last year and what is more the balance in Baltimore was on our side.

"Our feeling toward New York has always been friendly. Why the better the team New York has the more will the game in New York be pleased. Keen rivalry between the two boroughs brings greater interest into the game and tends to lessen the discontent among those interested in the sport.

"New York should have a good team, and we will give any assistance in our power to improve its team, or any other team in the league. New York could have had McGraw, Robinson and Griffin last year if it wanted them, but I am inclined to believe that there would be some hesitancy on our part to let McGraw and Robinson go now. I am afraid the game in Baltimore would fall dead if they were taken from the team.

However, I think next year will see the game on a better footing all around. There appears to be no dissension anywhere—all the managers seem to be working together.

Relative to the new association, Mr. Ebbets said he thought there was not the least foundation for it, particularly not in a city where a league team has already been established.

"The old brotherhood taught a lesson which, I think, has not been forgotten," said he. "Knowing this failure, men will not put money into this venture."

"Syndicate base ball? Well, to speak candidly, I am not in favor of syndicate base ball. I think each team should be under the control of individual management. Sell Baltimore? Yes. If we received sufficient compensation for our interests in Baltimore we would be only too willing to let it go. While syndicate base ball may improve one team, it causes harsh feeling toward it from the other clubs."

Brooklyn will probably strengthen the team next year, Mr. Ebbets said, but that matter is entirely in Mr. Hanlon's hands.

The hottest of times are predicted when the magnates making up the National League and American association of base ball clubs get together for the annual confab on Dec. 12th. One of the biggest questions that will confront the base ball moguls is that of "syndicate ball." Those who profess to "know it all" say this brand of the national pastime will be eradicated and that when next season starts each club will be operated by different owners. It is hard to figure how the eradication of syndicate ball can be accomplished without some awkward disclosures being made. There are more magnates that own that operate one club and hold big pieces of stock in another.

Ned Hanlon, the manager of the Brooklyn club and president of the Baltimore club, talks as follows on syndicate ball. I think the ownership of the several clubs should be distinct, but there is a vast amount of canting hypocrisy in this matter. The syndicate business was forced upon us. We would gladly have parted with our interest in the Baltimore club last year, and I believe that separate owners for the clubs would be best for the game. After the season was opened the two clubs were as distinctly kept apart as any two teams in the league. Even when the Brooklyns were badly pressed for players we did not take any from the Baltimore club but spent large sums in getting players from other sources. Baltimore was allowed to develop its players without any interference from Brooklyn, and I will leave it to any one who saw the games to judge as to the intense rivalry between the two teams."

That there are others benefited by syndicate ball Hanlon wishes to prove by these utterances: "Now, I want to call your attention to another aspect of syndicate ball which has not received half the attention it deserves, particularly in view of the recent remarks of Mr. Soden of the Boston club. Well, last fall when the struggle between Boston and Brooklyn was at its height and Boston needed strengthening, what did Mr. Soden do? Why, he went over to his New York club and had Meekin the Giants' great twirler, transferred to Boston without playing a son. That was syndicate ball with a vengeance. And yet Mr. Soden poses as a base ball reformer, and talks about the wickedness of Brooklyn, Baltimore and St. Louis. I think Mr. Soden had better remove that lumber yard from his own eyes before he goes hunting for beams in his neighbor's optics."

The news that the Colonels are to be dropped from the major organization has set many to thinking the league next year will cover an eight-club circuit. Those who think this way figure that besides the Colonels, Washington, Cleveland and Brooklyn will be dropped. It is hard to foretell just how big the circuit will be, but those who believe they ought to know say that if the league is reduced in size only two clubs—the Louisvilles and the Clevelands—will be excluded.

President Jim Hart of the Chicago club labels the story that all the Louisville players will be sought by his club, a "pipe." He says there is absolutely no truth in it. The Windy City fans are sorry to hear it. The story is a most interesting one. It names Fred Clarke for the Chicago outfield with Jimmy Ryan and Sandow Mertes and also as captain of the Colts. It puts Hans Wagner on third or short or possibly on first, with the others playing bench and Cunningham taking a turn with the pitching bunch. It is a beautiful dream and the fans would like to see it come true. Jim Hart declares there is not a word of truth in it from beginning to end. Still the Loftus rumor lobs up with charming persistency. It is similar to the story that Ban Johnson would succeed Nick Young and from the same source.

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SECOND ELEVEN

OF HIGH SCHOOL DEFEATED THE CHELMSFORD HIGH.

The second High school eleven had a regular walkover with the Chelmsford High eleven at Chelmsford Centre yesterday, the local team winning by a score of 38 to 0. The local boys were heavier and better fitted for the game than their Chelmsford opponents. From the start of the game the Chelmsford youngsters took but little part in the matter of advancing the ball for they only had it about twice during the 40 minutes of play. O'Brien, Bean, Bowen and Murphy played well for the local team as did Morrison and Butterfield. Sexton, J. Davis and Holt were the only players to do any good work for the losing team. The lineup:

Lowell		Chelmsford
O'Brien (capt.)	le	re, Stearns
French, lt		rt, Howe
Murphy (Butterfield)	lg	rg, Hunt
McQuade, c		c, J. Davis
Gray, rg,		lg, McNutt
Staples, rt,		lt, Adams
Haley, re		le, Howard
Perkins, qb		qb, Howard
Bowen, lhb		rhb Holt
Drury, rhb		lhb, Redman
Morris (Church)	fb	fb Blaisdell

Score Lowell High, 38, Chelmsford 0. Touchdowns—Scored by Bean, Morrison (2), Bowen (3). Goals from touchdowns—Gray (2). Morrison. Referee—J. Drury. Umpire—F. O'Sullivan. Linesmen—Emerson and Nichols. Timekeepers—Murphy and Stearns. Time—20 minute halves.

CROSS COUNTRY RUN

WON BY LITTLE JACKSON PALMER.

A cross country run was managed by the High school boys yesterday morning and there were ten competitors. The start was made from the school at 8.30 and the destination was Haggett's Pond, which is five miles and return. The boys were out early and were in fine fettle to race, all clothed in their sweaters and running suits. The following were the men entered: Jackson Palmer, Fred Meredith, Herbert Goddard, Fisher Nesmith, Osborne Olley, Joshua Herrick, Llewejoy Russell, J. Meredith and H. Coburn.

At 8.30 sharp they started from the school at a good clip and were keeping close abreast the greater part of the way, but finally when they viewed the destination Jack Palmer was out for first honors and he took a sudden brace and took the lead, finishing first.

His time was 45 minutes. Russell finished second and Goddard third.

They had a walking match home and covered the distance in one hour and thirty minutes. Palmer, the winner of the first place, showed skill in his running and it was through his coolheadedness that he won the first place.

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE MIDDLESEX CO-OPERATIVE BANK.

The seventh annual meeting of the Middlesex Co-operative bank was held last evening at Room 2, Hildreth building. The report for the year ending Oct. 27, 1899, was read as follows:

Cash Account—On hand Oct. 28, 1898, $7,383.34; total received during the year, $56,158.22; total, $63,541.56. Total paid out, $48,558.46; balance on hand, $14,983.10; total, $63,541.56.

Assets—Real estate loans, $100,900; share loans, $7,525; permanent expenses, $80; suspense, $523; cash on hand, $14,983.10; total, $124,011.10.

Liabilities — Dues capital, $108,401.09; profits, $16,888.92; surplus, $955.82; guarantee fund, $227.06; total, $124,011.10.

The officers are: President, Jesse H. Shenard; vice president, George A. Scribner; clerk and treasurer, William D. Brown; directors for three years, John M. Kingsbury, George A. Roper, George S. Fenderson; auditors, John J. Bancroft, Jr., William R. Killpatrick, Michael J. Burns.

MUSIC HALL

Another good-sized audience attended Music Hall last evening to witness the second performance of A. L. Seammon's "Sleepier City." The play met with the same success as on the previous evening. The scenery was excellent and the cast strong. The play is full of the specialties, notable among them being the singing and dancing by Miss Dell Lincoln and Lester A. Davis and that of Fred and Nellie Daly were the hits of the evening. The burning of the insane asylum is strikingly realistic. The last two performances will be given this afternoon and evening, when the engagement comes to a close.

CRACKER JACKS.

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FRENCH BOXING

Is Considered Very Cruel In This Country

LA SARATE STYLE NOT POPULAR HERE

All the Boxing News of the Day

The "savate" style of fighting as employed by the French has been the cause of much discussion since the recent defeat of Jerry Driscoll, the ex-champion of the British navy, by M. Charlemont, the Frenchman. In this bout Charlemont used his hands and feet, while Driscoll fought as he agreed, with only his hands.

A description of the contest is worth reproduction. In part it is as follows:

"The bout resulted in a disgusting exhibition. Long before it commenced the hall was packed, notwithstanding the fact that as much as 200 francs ($40) a head was asked for admission.

After the first round Driscoll who had been studying the kicking tactics of his opponent, set to work to beat Charlemont at all points. At the end of the third round the fight was over, for the Frenchman was then all but a wreck. Then disgraceful tactics were indulged in by the organizers under the pretence that Driscoll's seconds had encouraged him during the round. This excuse was made to give Charlemont time to recover.

As the fight proceeded Driscoll won again on fouls, as he was able to show the marks of Charlemont having bitten him. Charlemont in the eighth round took advantage of a clinch and used his knee in brutal fashion, and in contravention of the rules. Driscoll fell in terrible agony, and the fight was awarded to Charlemont amid cries of "Vive la France!" Charlemont was enthusiastically kissed by his admirers. The state of Driscoll at the close of the encounter is described as "simply pitiable." He soon pulled himself together again.

After this fight Kid McCoy challenged M. Charlemont, offering to meet him in a contest for $5,000 a side. McCoy agreed to allow the Frenchman to employ all his tricks of "savate" style of fighting, while he would confine himself to an attack with his hands.

The Frenchman refused to meet McCoy, or rather, never answered his defi.

A professor of "la savate" was brought over from France to meet one of the English pugs. At the last moment an Englishman could be induced to fight the Frenchman, and an Irishman, Jim Donohue, by name, consented to tackle "Frenchy."

A description of the fight is printed here:

Donohue hadn't been in the ring many seconds when the Frenchman commenced the battle with a "cow-wick." A sharp rowser that in this case was only hard enough to be irritating, but it can be given by an expert with sufficient force to dislocate the knee joint.

Jim winced a bit from botheration rather than anything else, but did not lower his guard. A second later the Frenchman gave him the coup de grace, which consisted in suddenly swinging up the knee of the fighting foot and planting the heel with great force under the Irishman's jaw. Jim went flying over the ropes and up against the wainscot, which abutted on one side of the ring.

He was considerably staggered when he got up, but with true Irish fondness for a bit of entertainment he went at the froggy again, only to catch another kick fairly under he chin, and away went James to the old spot as if he was taking the wall with him.

"Oh, by the Virgin," said he, as he rested in his corner, "'tis like fightin' a horse."

All through the minute's interval Donohue's second dined it into the Irishman to "slip him" and thus come in with a right-handed punch. So time being called, James went in with great caution and with his eyes fixed on his adversary's feet—a strong characteristic of "Kid" Lavigne's style, by the way.

It was good advice that the second gave his man, for in the round that followed the Frenchman after announcing for some seconds, let go a mighty kick, which Jim saw coming, just in time to step aside. Before the Frenchman could recover his equilibrium Donohue stepped in with his right foot, and with his right fist handed his opponent a tremendous mash squarely on the face. The French professor fell all in a heap in the opposite corner of the ring and for several seconds lay quite motionless.

His seconds picked him up and tried every trick known to the fraternity to bring him to, but the exponent of "la savate" only rolled about and groaned piteously. When at last he awoke to his senses it was only to howl: "Oh, mon Dieu, zees es not ze boxe; I vill not do ze zees!"

An idea of the "la savate" method of fighting with the feet may be obtained from the following:

In using his foot, the Frenchman generally swings round on one leg and shoots out the other sideways, sometimes shooting right up over his opponent's head. The same movement often includes quick, successive kicks at different parts of the body, for instance, the chest, and then the head. Occasionally the kick may be a running one, straight to the front, but, in fact, all sorts of attitudes are assumed in the delivery of the blow. The kicks, it is to be noticed, are invariably defended with the arms, the hands, of course, being encased in the customary boxing gloves. As a means of defense the foot is seen to advantage in what is known as the "coup d'arret," which consists simply in stopping your opponent by thrusting out the foot at right angles against his chest. One way of meeting a kick is, of course, to seize your opponent's foot, if you can catch it. He may release himself with a jerk or by resting his hands on the ground and kicking his free leg; but on the other hand, the man with the imprisoned limb may sometimes be hurled backwards to the ground. In addition to the use of the "coup d'arret," a French boxer possesses an advantage over an English opponent in his liberty to use the "back-heel throw." This simply means pulling the foot behind your opponent's heel and tripping him up, or in the alternative, seizing him behind the heel with the hand and so hurling him onto his back. Finally, wrestling can be added to boxing, and the proceedings may be to assume the aspect of a mixture of boxing, wrestling and acrobatic feats.

The prospects of a fight being arranged between Bob Fitzsimmons and Tom Sharkey are not very promising at the present time, owing to the fact that Lanky Bob has said he will not fight anyone but Jeffries, his conqueror. After the recent battle between Jeffries and Sharkey, Tom O'Rourke, manager of Sharkey, feeling satisfied that Jeffries would not consent to meet the sailor again, in less than a year at the earliest, at once began to plan for a fight between Sharkey and Fitzsimmons. O'Rourke got one of Lanky Bob's closest friends to find out for him if he would box Sharkey. Martin Julian, manager of Fitzsimmons, informed this person that the latter would not fight anyone but Jeffries. On the strength of this information O'Rourke has decided not to bring a challenge to match Sharkey against Fitzsimmons as he knows it would only be a waste of precious time. A fight between Fitzsimmons and Sharkey, either at Coney Island or at the Lenox Athletic club, would attract an immense crowd.

Terry McGovern, the little fighting wonder of South Brooklyn, who recently added more fame to his career by knocking out Patsy Haley and Billy Smith, of Philadelphia, in the same ring in Chicago, will arrive in New York on Monday. Upon his arrival Terry will begin training for his second bout with Eddie Sprague, of Chicago, which takes place at the Nonpareil State club of Hartford on Thanksgiving day. McGovern will in all probability get in shape for this encounter at Tuttle's road house, on Jerome avenue, where he trained for his battles with Frankie Palmer and Johnnie Ritchie.

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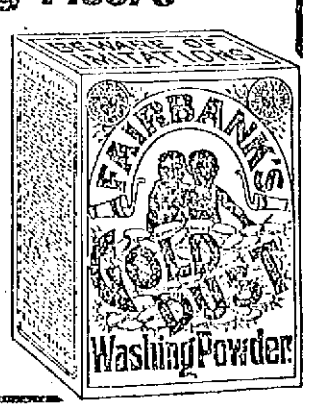

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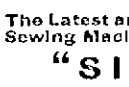

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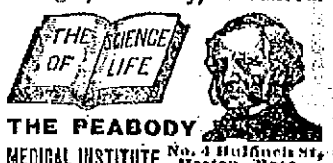

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RAILROAD FIREMEN.

A regular meeting of the Brotherhood of Railroad Firemen was held last night in Pilgrim hall.

Five new members were received into the brotherhood, and eight propositions were received. After the business was transacted, an informal entertainment was enjoyed, many of the talent from the local theatres volunteering their services. A supper was served under the direction of Joe Legasse and Miah Murray.

Y. M. C. I. TOURNAMENT.

In the Y. M. C. I. bowling tournament last evening, team five defeated team eight by a margin of 35 pins.

Ed. Murphy was the high man of the game, making 67 for the three strings, while Burns with 170 held the best single string. The score:

TEAM FIVE.

McMahon	152	150	118—420
E. Murphy	152	151	161—464
Gookin	130	122	160—412
Tobin	150	101	109—360
*Buckley	110	101	90—300
Totals	611	593	672—1875

TEAM EIGHT.

Burns	117	124	170—411
Duggan	113	125	157—395
Watson	111	113	122—346
O'Brien	101	119	132—352
*J. Murphy	100	100	102—302
Totals	571	587	652—1810

*Absent.

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

Integrity lodge, M. U. I. O. O. F., held their regular meeting last night in Manchester Unity hall and four new members were initiated.

The meeting of Lowell lodge, No. 17, N. A. S. E. was held last night in Engineer's hall and several applications were received and accepted. The members are completing arrangements for an open meeting which will be held in the near future. The public and especially the press of Lowell will be invited to attend this meeting. The employment committee has received more applications for engineers than it is able to supply. If there are any first class engineers out of employment, it will be to their advantage to communicate with employment committee of Lowell No. 17.

An enthusiastic meeting was held last evening by the Sons of St. George at Post 185 hall. The chief business of the evening was the election of officers and the result being as follows: Worthy president, James Wilmont; worthy vice president, Joseph Fielding; worthy secretary, Sam Asquith; worthy treasurer, Peter Bennett; worthy messenger, James Bennett; worthy assistant secretary, Samuel Holgate; trustee, Frank T. Hanford; lodge physician, Dr. W. B. Jackson.

The next meeting of the members will be held Friday, December 1, when the installation of officers will take place. District Deputy Sydney Cowperthwaite and suite of Lawrence will officiate.

Dahlgren post, U. V. U., held their regular meeting in the upper hall of Memorial building. There was a large attendance of members and two recruits were sworn in. Routine business was transacted. There were speeches for the good of the union by Royal S. Ripley, Col. Charles Brigham and Comrades Hawes and Plumstead. Officers for the ensuing year were nominated. A comfortable campfire lunch was served after the meeting.

A progressive whist party was enjoyed by Lowell lodge, No. 95, I. O. O. F., in their hall in the Odd Fellows' building last evening. The playing began at 8.30 and was continued for two hours. There were twenty-five tables in progress, making an even hundred players. Lemonade was served by the good of the order committee.

The monthly circle of the Rathbone Sisters was held Thursday afternoon and evening at the residence of Mrs. Charles A. Frost, corner of Puffer and D streets. A business session was held in the afternoon which was followed by a supper and a pleasant time during the evening.

Yesterday afternoon the Unity club met at the residence of Mrs. Grace Hilton Gibson on Wilder street. It was voted to hold a sale on December 9th at the residence of Mrs. Frank E. Shaw at Tyler Park.

Court Gen. Shields will observe the tenth anniversary of the organization of the court by holding a smoke talk and entertainment next February.

HAD NARROW ESCAPE

IN A COLLISION ON THE LAWRENCE ROAD.

Last evening, Mr. John J. Regan, proprietor of the Old Washington Tavern, came near losing his life, while returning from a trip to Lawrence. Mr. Regan was driving over the road, and as the night was very dark it was all that he could do to guide the horse. When about where the old Eagle house stands, a team coming in the opposite direction and driven by George Clough, collided with that of Mr. Regan.

His turnout was badly wrecked, and his horse, which is a spirited animal, made a break and soon kicked itself free from the carriage. Mr. Regan, however, pluckily held on to the reins, and although dragged quite a distance along the roadway, managed to retain his grip upon the ribbons and finally brought the animal to a standstill. Mr. Clough helped Mr. Regan into his carriage and drove back to Lowell. Aside from the ruination of a suit of clothes and the destruction of a new derby, he was none the worse for his thrilling experience, and told a Sun reporter that it was nothing, simply an accident.

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On the Promise of Ten Per Cent Dividends — Millions Probably Gone—Part of the Booty Found

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—William F. Miller, head of the Franklin syndicate which it is alleged, has accepted the deposits of thousands of persons in Brooklyn under promise of paying dividends of 10 per cent. a week or 520 per cent. per annum, and Cecil Leslie, his secretary, were indicted by the Kings County grand jury this afternoon.

Bench warrants were issued for the arrest of these two men but up to quite a late hour last night neither had been found, the police saying that they had disappeared in the afternoon.

Last night the police under charge of Capt. Reynolds, chief of detectives in Brooklyn, Inspector Brennan and Police Captain Lee, raided the premises occupied by the Franklin syndicate on Floyd street, Brooklyn. There was a great crowd of people around the building and the police surrounded it.

Inspector Brennan arrested Louis Miller, brother of the head of the syndicate and the cashier of the concern, and took possession of $15,000 in cash. There were 40 employes at work in the offices and these were allowed to go. It was stated by Louis Miller to the police that the offices were then in the hands of ex-Sheriff Daly of Richmond, to whom, he said, the concern had assigned.

The charge upon which Miller was indicted was that of conspiring to defraud. The district attorney's office in Brooklyn has been at work on the case for some weeks.

Miller had been engaged for the past two years or so in offering his glittering inducements to the people to invest their money for him to make use of, but it has been only within the last month that by extensive advertising he managed to attract to his office daily hundreds of people who gathered in a long line and fought with each other for the opportunity to hand out their savings.

Even when the place was raided last night by the police a number of those around the office were waiting to deposit money with the Franklin Syndicate. The presence of the police caused great excitement. When they entered the offices, James Daly, ex-sheriff of Richmond county, to whom it was claimed the concern had assigned was put off the premises. Daily has been in the employ of Miller for some time past.

Of the $15,000 taken possession of by the police something more than $5,000 in cash was found in the syndicate offices. From the record which the police had made of the day's deposits it was evident that a portion of the money had been removed from the offices, and Louis Miller was called upon to make an explanation. He at first refused, but on being threatened by the police said that Miss Annie Gory, an employe of the concern, who lived in a house adjoining the offices had been given the possession of a large sum of money in the morning by the head of the firm.

The police went to the adjoining house and placed Miss Gory under arrest and after an extended search they found nearly $2500 concealed in an old lounge in her apartment.

The woman then declared that she had this money in her possession for the purpose of paying the employes of the syndicate. The police however, took possession of the money and gave Miss Gory her liberty.

Then general orders were sent out, and a search instituted for William F. Miller, head of the syndicate, and his secretary, Cecil Leslie.

William F. Miller began the Franklin Syndicate in a very small way, locating his office among the poorer classes in Brooklyn and making one feature of his business the acceptance of very small sums of money and the alleged investment of them for poor people. It is alleged that he claimed that by inside tips on the stock market he was able to reap large and quick profits, of which he was willing to pay a large percentage to his clients. Seemingly he paid the interest on the principal each week and his business increased.

Within the past few months he advertised extensively and in all parts of Brooklyn could be found people who could tell wonderful stories of the weekly dividends. Then some of the financial concerns in New York began to look into the business of the Franklin syndicate, and not only did many of the prominent financiers denounce as preposterous the offer of 10 per cent interest on money invested, but some of the banks refused to accept Miller's account or to do business with him.

It is claimed that Miller was simply the representative of a syndicate of men who had been engaged in conducting blind pools for years. It is asserted that the idea of paying unusually high rates of interest or unusually fascinating dividends originated with the blind pool project at Pittsburg several years ago.

After the failure of that concern similar operations were commenced in New York city and vicinity by the "Dean syndicate." Exposure and arrests resulted in scattering the various members of this syndicate, but some of them it is believed are still in New York. No syndicate has ever attempted to pay any such wonderful rates of interest as the Franklin syndicate. The very fact that the newspapers and financial circles began to make investigations aroused the public interest to such an extent, and at the same time in some quarters the public cupidity, that, it is said, within the last week, Miller, it is alleged, has received deposits of hundreds of people, aggregating a daily amount of from $30,000 to $40,000. It is easy to see how, under these circumstances, the Franklin syndicate could pay out 10 per cent. of this amount a week and still make money.

Not only were the people living in greater New York large depositors with the syndicate, but cities all over the country contributed the earnings of scores of their residents to swell the wealth of the syndicate. The mail delivery daily at Miller's office amounted to about three wagon loads, and most of the letters contained money.

Miller had a faculty of displaying a large amount of his wealth, and the offices on Floyd street were piled high with greenbacks of all denominations, and heaps of gold. This seemed to lend confidence to those who came with their little subscriptions, and it is impossible to even estimate where the "endless chain" would have ended.

The principle of the endless chain as developed by Miller depended upon the fact that his old customers brought him additional members and were allowed a commission of 5 per cent. upon all moneys thus invested. Those who were drawing this income of 5 per cent. became walking advertisements for the Franklin syndicate.

For several weeks the United States postal department has had its trained investigators at work trying to catch Miller and his associates, but in vain.

Rev. Dr. Meredith of Brooklyn, a former pastor of Miller's, complained to the Brooklyn police that the man was ruining half of the young men of his congregation. Miller was formerly a member of Dr. Meredith's church, and became acquainted with many of the men belonging to the Sunday school and congregation.

LIKE TALES OF MONTE CRISTO.

On Tuesday of this week, just before charges of libel were preferred against Miller, he is said to have taken in $55,000 and paid out $31,000. The confidential representative of one of the banks who visited Miller's office about this time said that he never saw so much money scattered around loose in his life. He said that it reminded one of tales of Monte Cristo and Monte Carlo combined, but that as an absolute fact Miller did not have facilities for taking care of all the gold and greenbacks which poured in upon him, and empty barrels were brought up from the basement of the building in which he operated, and tens of thousands of dollars were dumped into these barrels by Miller's employes.

One of Miller's trusted employes stated that the Franklin syndicate had taken in over $4,000,000. It is known that when the banks shut down on Miller yesterday and refused to accept his deposits any longer he withdrew $100,000 from the Wells-Fargo bank. It is asserted tonight that Miller deposited $100,000 with the German consul.

Miller, who is very young and insignificant looking, possessed two positive characteristics—personal magnetism and frozen calmness. During the last two or three days, when his every movement has been watched by detectives and reporters, when crowds of depositors flocked to his establishment, he never lost his quiet ways or became angry.

He spent a few years with Heverin & Co., Wall street brokers, but never achieved much of a financial reputation there. His counsel, Col. Robert Ammon, claims that Miller in all of his methods has proceeded along lines strictly legitimate.

Tonight even after Miller had been denounced in the most unmeasured terms, probably 2000 persons gathered about the building. The doors of the office had been closed at 6 o'clock, but business was resumed shortly before 8. The would-be depositors were formed in a line by the police, reaching down the high stoop and 150 feet into the street. Business was carried on for 20 minutes. During that time 50 persons deposited money and not one drew out. This showed the confidence of Miller's public in his scheme.

Miller had not been found up to a late hour, and his wife said that she did not expect him back before Monday at least.

A receiver will be asked for, and what money can be reached will be restored to the subscribers of the syndicate.

Half good won't do!

A "may-cure" cough medicine won't do. If it will "perhaps" do its work, it's worse than worthless. If it's good, it's worth ten times its price.

Do you know where to draw the line between the good and the bad? This testimonial should help

"I had a bad cough for six weeks and could not find any relief whatever. My little girl read about Ayer's Cherry Pectoral being such a wonderful remedy for coughs, so I bought a bottle. It relieved me at once. Before I had taken a quarter of a bottle my cough was entirely cured. I think it is the most wonderful cough mixture ever known."—L. HAWN, Newington, Ont., May 3, 1899.

Your doctor or druggist will bear us out. Three sizes: $1.00 size, cheapest in the long run; 50c. size, just the thing for a cold that "hangs on"; 25c. size, for an ordinary, mean, disagreeable cold.

P. A. C. VICTORS

Second Team Easily Defeated Co. C

AT BASKET BALL LAST NIGHT

Bill Neville to Play With Milford

The Company C basket ball team received a terrible defeat last evening at the armory at the hands of the clever P. A. C. second team. The militia boys were played to a standstill, the score at the close of the game standing 32 to 0 in favor of the athletes from Pawtucketville.

The only "Connie" Cronin was the hero of the game. "Connie" is the making of a fine basket ball player and his work last night was nothing if not marvelous. Cronin succeeded in caging ten goals from the floor, a remarkable performance, he thus scoring 20 of the 32 points tallied by his team. "Connie" who is a favorite with every one with whom he has ever come in contact, is all right.

In fact the whole P. A. C. team without exception, played a fine game from start to finish, and their team work was simply superb and Manager Brown is to be congratulated on the clever aggregation he has collected together.

Jack Hanlon caged four goals from the floor and young Riordan caged two. Kelley and Howe, the P. A. C. guards, carried their men admirably.

For the militia team, the best work was done by Kittredge and Livingston.

The line-up and summary was as follows:

P. A. C.	CO. C.
Cronin, lf	rg, Golng
(Capt.) Hanlon, rf	lg, Kelsey
Riordan, c	c, Livingston
Kelley, lg	rf, Berry
Howe, rg	lf, Kittredge (capt.)

Score, A. C., 32, Company C, 0; goals caged by Cronin (10), Hanlon (4), Riordan (2); foul called on Howe; referees, Hugh J. Thomas and Dexter; timekeepers, Joseph Fitzgerald and Walter Bagshaw; time, 2-20 minute halves.

WESTGATE CHAPTER.

A pleasant social was enjoyed by the members of Westgate Chapter of Epworth League, of the Central M. E. church at the residence of David True on Lincoln street.

The great feature of the evening was the Mystic Band who were arrayed in fantastic costumes and whose instruments were combs. The musicians rendered "Auld Lang Syne." Miss Susan Meredith was the leader and the other members were Daisy MacBrayne, George MacDonald, Elizabeth Meredith, Blanche Pead, Grace Pead, Claude Lightborn, A. Belle Duncan, Annie True, Mollie True and Willie Dennett. There were also readings by Misses Ethel Clark and Ethel Hall and vocal solos by Charles Thomas, while Mr. MacDonald and Miss MacBrayne charmed their auditors with a duet entitled "Reuben and Cynthia." At the conclusion of the entertainment there was an auction sale of old maids, Geo. MacDonald acting in the capacity of auctioneer. Refreshments were served during the evening.

PLEASANT SOCIAL.

A pleasant social was held last evening at the home of Mr. P. J. Farrell on Adams street which was attended by about 109 young people. Dancing and other amusements were enjoyed during the evening, and there was also some fine singing. Refreshments were served and it was a late hour when the affair came to a close. The affair was managed by the Easy club who are to have a sleighride party within two months.

LOWELL COMMANDERY

TO HOLD A REINSTITUTION.

In the early part of January, next year, at the first regular convocation of Lowell Commandery, Knights of Malta, one of the most notable events in local fraternal history is scheduled to take place. At this time there will be a reinstitution of the commandery, at which time all of the degrees will be conferred in two nights.

The reinstitution is made imperative by the number of members waiting for the higher degrees coupled with the steady influx of applicants for membership, the degrees generally being of such length that it is absolutely impossible for the staff to keep pace with the constantly increasing number of candidates. The reinstitution will be held under a special dispensation from the grand commandery and will mark the formal closing of the charter, which has been open since the inception of the commandery, one year ago last August. After the date the cost of the degrees will be nearly treble what it is at the present.

Eleven of the degrees will be worked in abbreviated form, while the 12th or red cross degree and sepulchre will be worked in full by the staff of the local commandery, which has been organized this week. It is believed that the whole work can be given in this way in two nights. The paraphernalia for the red cross degree is extremely elaborate and costly and the degree itself is most impressive. From present indications there will be nearly 100 candidates for the degrees by that time.

Lowell Commandery is now 15 months old and embraces in its membership some of the representative business and professional men of the city.

Vote for T. Frank Clark for the council, ward five.

Eyesight by absorption. Dr. Taylor.

Everybody's liable to itching piles. Rich and poor, old and young—terrible the torture they suffer. Only one sure cure. Doan's Ointment. Absolutely safe; can't fail.

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Remittances for Christmas. Send through Murphy's steamship agency, 18 Appleton street, payable in Ireland, England, Scotland and all over Europe. 20 years in the business in the same place. Opposite the postoffice.

D. MURPHY.

MRS. C. P. BACHELDER.

A Well-known Pawtucket Woman Whose Story Appears Below.

MADE HER MISERABLE

What Indigestion did for a Well-Known Pawtucket Woman.

Sleeplessness and Fainting Spells Afflicted Her but Disappeared when Her Stomach Trouble was Conquered.

So far does the health of the body depend upon the digestive system that some of the worst ills of mankind are often to be traced directly to a derangement of the stomach. Correct this so that the body can be nourished in the natural way and there is soon no need of medicine. On the other hand a neglected case of indigestion invariably leads to the most unhappy results.

Mrs. C. P. Bachelder, of 87 Mason Street, Pawtucket, R. I., a woman who is well and favorably known throughout the community, tells of an experience that may be a guide to many others. She says:

"About three years ago I was afflicted with stomach trouble and indigestion. This brought on sleeplessness and fainting spells. My nervous system was all run down and I was miserable most of the time. I had been under a doctor's treatment without perceptible benefit and seeing Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People advertised, I decided to try them. I did so and before I had finished the first box I found that they were helping me. My color began to improve, the insomnia disappeared and my nerves became stronger.

"I continued taking the pills for about a year, although not regularly all of that time. I can truly say that Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People have helped me more than any other medicine I ever took, and they have been of great benefit to my husband, who has had two strokes of paralysis. I have recommended the pills to a large number of people who have also been helped by them."

(Signed) MRS. C. P. BACHELDER.

All the elements necessary to give new life and richness to the blood and restore shattered nerves are contained, in a condensed form, in Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. Mrs. Bachelder owes her life, health and happiness to this wonderful remedy, and although your case may not resemble hers, Dr. Williams' Pink Pills will help you because they act upon the nerves as well as the blood. They banish the unpleasant symptoms that make the lives of seven-tenths of the women of this country almost unbearable. A few of these symptoms are severe headache, loss of appetite, pale or sallow complexion, palpitation of the heart, swollen ankles or legs, nervousness, offensive breath, etc. The sufferer may exhibit one or more of these symptoms, or may have all. They simply indicate the ravages disease has made upon the system, and the more of these symptoms the patient shows, the greater the necessity for prompt and persistent treatment, until they have been banished. To accomplish this end, Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People are the only unfailing remedy. They positively cure all suppressions and irregularities, which, if neglected, inevitably entail sickness and trouble.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are sold in packages only, and full directions printed in English, French and German, are wrapped around each box. Your druggist sells them.

LOWELL ORCHESTRAL SOCIETY.

Tomorrow afternoon, the first recital, is held by the Orchestral society, assisted by the great prima donna, Miss Caroline Gooding Clark of Boston and Mr. R. McDaniels, cornet soloist. The very best of solo talent has been engaged for the remaining recitals. If any one has neglected to secure his season ticket, costing $3.00, with the same two reserved seats for the whole season, he will find some good seats left at Austin's Music Store, Bridge street, until 10 o'clock tonight. To know where your seat is and to be sure of it is far better than trusting to the uncertain chances of a 25 cent admission.

Vote for T. Frank Clark for the council, ward five.

SORE FEET

Caused by corns, bunions, or callouses, quickly cured by using WAKEFIELD'S FIR BALSAM SALVE. Price, 25c.

Goodale's Drug Store, cor. Central and Jackson Streets

GORMAN & SULLIVAN, The Leading Tailors, 25 Palmer Street, are making up the Swellest Garments in town at the lowest possible prices. Visit them and see what they can do for you in a Suit or Overcoat. A perfect fit guaranteed at 25 Palmer St. GORMAN & SULLIVAN

COOK, TAYLOR & CO.

CENTRAL STREET, LOWELL.

Jackets, Suits and Ready Made Garments. Last week's mark down resulted in large sales. Still further reduction of prices Friday and Saturday.

Tan Kersey Jackets, silk lined, $9.98, were $14.00.

Braided Kersey Jackets, silk lined, $7.98, were $12.50.

Black Cheviot Coats, high neck, $9.98, were $14.00.

Kersey Coats, variety of colors, silk lined, $7.98 were $10.00.

Electric Seal Jackets from $12.98 to $65.00.

Bead Trimmed Velour Jackets, tight fitting.

Skinner's satin lined at $12.50 and $16.50, nothing like them in town.

Plaid Skirts $3.98, were $5.00.

17 Fine Tailor made Suits, positively this season's styles, from $10.00 to $35.00, every one marked down, to close out.

Other suits at $8.50, $10.00, $10.98 and $12.50, every one a bargain.

Camel's Hair tunic Skirts and venetian cloth. Skirts with box, plaited backs, the very latest; only $5.98.

Fur Scarfs from $1.25 up to $7.50, with mink scarfs with real mink tails at $6.50.

Two new lines of Mackintoshes, one at $3.19 and one at $5.00, warranted.

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THE LOWELL SUN

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SUN LATEST

FIVE O'CLOCK.

BOER DEFEAT

LIEUT. GEN. LORD METHUEN, WHO LED THE BRITISH IN THE FIGHT AT BELMONT.

Gen. White Took No Guns

By Associated Press to The Sun.

ORANGE RIVER, Cape Colony, Friday, Nov. 24.—In all 107 wounded, including several Boers have arrived here from Belmont. One of the Boers a boy of 17 years of age, was compelled to take up arms with his father, who is a prisoner. A wounded Boer said that twenty men were selected from each Boer section to pick off the British officers. But, he added, on the advance of the British force the Boer marksmen were bewildered as it was impossible to distinguish the officers who wore the same equipment as the men. The marksmen were also unable to make out the sergeants and other non-commissioned officers whose stripes had been removed.

BOERS KILLED 500; WOUNDED 150.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LONDON, Nov. 25.—The Daily Mail publishes the following dispatch from Belmont, describing the battle:

"The Boers held a position which British troops would hold against almost any force. The British victory is complete. My estimate of the Boer losses is 500 killed and 150 wounded. Mr. Knight, correspondent of the London Morning Post, was wounded. The Boer prisoners are ignorant, dirty and wretched. They say that half their commando, tired of the war, will refuse further service. The whole force of the fearful fight was borne by the infantry who were obliged to climb 500 feet straight into a terrific stream of missiles. The 9th lancers pursued the enemy with great vigor but the Boers well mounted and familiar with the hills, melted before them. Possibly, however, our victory would have been more decisive had we possessed more cavalry."

There is much anxiety now as to the fate of Mafeking, in view of the latest and somewhat despondent advices. It was rumored in the Glasgow Stock Exchange today that Mafeking has surrendered but the war office of this city declared that they have no confirmation or otherwise.

In the meanwhile the news from Natal is not encouraging. Estcourt and the Mooi river camps are both hard pressed and it seems almost a joke to regard the garrisons as forming part of the relief force for Ladysmith. A dispatch from Pretoria, dated Thursday, gives advices from south of Ladysmith to the effect that General Joubert, the same morning shelled Estcourt camp, but without response. The inhabitants of the town were reported to be leaving.

The dispatch from Pretoria also indicates that news of the battle of Belmont had reached Pretoria, as it says: "Heavy fighting is reported south of Kimberley today between the Free Staters and a supposed British relief force from the Orange river."

The foregoing dispatch does not refer to the British attack on the Boer position at Willow Grange, outside of Estcourt the previous day. The attack is said to have been a surprise and although the British retired on Estcourt they did not do so until they had bayonetted eighty Boers and captured all their equipment and a number of horses. A bug gun posted in position, the capture of which appears to have been the British objective, was found to have been removed. The story is thus circumstantial, though no official confirmation is yet forthcoming.

An official statement was issued at Durban yesterday that there were no Boers south of the Mooi river. The Boers, however, as shown in recent dispatches, are rapidly closing around the Mooi river camp. An armored train and mounted patrols which reconnoitred the country around on Wednesday reported seeing but few of the enemy. Yet the following day the Boers were found in strong force in two directions nearby. This shows the extreme mobility of the Boer forces.

Two Boers have surrendered to the British at Nottingham road station, south of the Mooi river, and there are reports that the Boer forces are starving which it is said, explains the raiding of farms.

Numbers of loyal Natal farmers have taken the field in response to the mobilization of the Rifle Association and are now doing splendid scouting work. Two of these volunteer patrols checked the Boers near Mooi river.

NO BOER GUNS TAKEN.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

DURBAN, Nov. 24.—An official message from General White at Ladysmith, dated Nov. 22, says:

"Situation unchanged. The troops well and cheerful."

HOBART'S FUNERAL

Impressive Service Over Vice-President's Remains

Factories, Business Houses and Schools Closed--Pres. McKinley and Cabinet in Attendance

By Associated Press to The Sun.

PATERSON, N. J., Nov. 25.--The bells of all the churches in Paterson were tolled today for two hours preceding the funeral services over the body of Garret A. Hobart. From an early hour Paterson, which is a lively manufacturing town, presented an unusual appearance. The mills and factories were shut down and business was generally suspended throughout the city. All the incoming trains were crowded and the streets of the city were thronged with strangers.

A larger portion awaited the Broadway station, waiting the arrival of the presidential train and the special train conveying the United States senators, congressmen and other distinguished persons. There was also a crowd on Carroll Place near the Hobart residence. Two companies of United States regulars from Governor's Island did police duty about the grounds at Carroll Hall. A cordon of city police kept the street in front of the house clear so that the carriages could arrive and depart.

The church bells were tolled from 9 until 11 a. m., when special services were held in many churches of different denominations all over the city. These services were generally well attended and were of an impressive character.

After these services the church bells resumed tolling and continued until the hour arrived for the public funeral services at the Church of the Redeemer.

As the distinguished personages arrived at the railroad stations, they were met by committees representing the government, the local authorities and citizens of Paterson.

The floral decorations at the church of the Redeemer were magnificent. A band of smilax over three feet wide and thick enough to hide the wall ran around both sides and the front of the main auditorium. Above the windows the wreath was unbroken before the pipes of the great organ. At the windows giant palms reached up to the smilax. These palms and the festooning around the windows were laden with white flowers, principally lilies of the valley, orchids and chrysanthemums. Around the organ and the pulpit lilies were strewn in lavish profusion. The fonts before the pulpit were covered with American Beauty Roses to the height of nine feet. A larger undecorated space before the pulpit was reserved for the casket.

Seats had been reserved in the church for President McKinley and the members of his cabinet. Chief Justice Fuller and associate justices of the supreme court; members of the United States senate and house of representatives, Messrs. Alger, Bliss and Gary, former members of President McKinley's cabinet; the governor and other state officers of New Jersey; representatives of county and city governments of New Jersey; President Austin Scott of Rutgers college; Henry W. Green, representing Princeton university; representatives of the republican organizations in New Jersey and Passaic county and various manufacturing and financial institutions with which Mr. Hobart had been identified.

There are 22 pall bearers, eight representing the United States senat, 8 representing the house of representatives, eight personal pall bearers, selected by Mr. Hobart two months before his death, and eight sergeant-at-arms of the senate, known as the senate police, who acted as body-bearers, and carried the casket. They were in uniform, and were headed by Captain A. P. Garden, their chief. It is customary for them to so act at the funerals of senators, and they asked the privilege of so acting in the case of the vice-president. The personal pall bearers were Attorney-General Griggs, Edward T. Bell, Franklin Murphy, General Joseph W. Congdon and Joseph Frank Fort, George F. Baker, E. A. Walton and Col. William Barbour.

The senate pall bearers were Wm. P. Frye of Maine, M. A. Hanna of Ohio, William J. Sewell and John Kean of New Jersey, C. W. Fairbanks of Indiana, James McMillan of Michigan, John W. Daniel of Virginia and F. M. Cockrell of Missouri.

The pall bearers from the house of representatives were D. B. Henderson of Iowa, John J. Gardner and R. Wayne Parker of New Jersey, Charles F. Joy of Missouri, W. P. Hepburn of Iowa, John Dalzell of Pennsylvania, George B. McClellan of New Jersey and John Ryer of Virginia.

The service at the house was brief and simple. It was held in the library, which was banked with flowers sent by friends of the dead vice-president.

Mrs. Hobart, with her son Garret A. Hobart, Jr., sat near the head of the casket, while near her were grouped the president and his cabinet, judges of the supreme court, the honorary pall bearers and the immediate friends of the family including Mrs. Newton, Albert A. Wilcox, Mrs. Wilcox, Private Secretary Evans and the family servants. The Rev. David Magie offered prayer.

BARTENDER FINED

$100 for Illegally Keeping Liquor

MRS. TIVNAN'S CASE CONTINUED

Antonio Dutra Found Not Guilty of Illegal Keeping

Peter Maguire was charged in the police court this morning with maliciously destroying clothes line, the property of Mrs. Michael Casey and valued at 85 cents. He pleaded guilty to the charge and the court imposed a fine of $3 which was paid.

Judge Hadley was on the bench and three drunks were arraigned.

Patrick Flannery, though an old offender, was let off with a fine of $6.

Another old offender was Charles H. Quigley, who pleaded guilty to a charge of drunkenness. Quigley has lived with his mother in Centralville. She is about 79 years old and is blind. According to the testimony he has been very cruel to the old lady and several times has assaulted her. He has a long record and is said to be a common drunkard. He had nothing to say in his own behalf and the court sentenced him to the state farm at Bridgewater.

Annie Tivnan, charged with drunkenness and assault and battery on Constable R. J. Flynn, was continued in $100 for drunkenness and $200 for assault till next Saturday for trial.

Daniel J. Clark pleaded guilty to a charge of illegal keeping of liquor and was fined $100. He paid.

The complaint against Mary Latour charging her with assault and battery was dismissed upon the defendant's paying the costs of court, which amounted to $1.80. This was a continued case.

The continued case of Joseph Zuris, charged with embezzlement was put over to December 2.

The case of Esdrosse Coutu, charged with non-support of his wife, was continued one month. This is the second continuance.

There were several liquor forfeitures.

The case of Harris Coneles, a Greek, was placed on file. This is the case where the court refused to accept spotter evidence. The case was tried a week ago, but was not disposed of.

Antonio M. Dutra was charged with illegal keeping of liquor. He had previously pleaded not guilty and was represented by D. J. Donahue, Esq.

Liquor Inspectors Duncan, Maher and McCann visited the defendant's room at 3 Molloy's court, off Summer street on the night of November 17 and found Dutra, who, by the way, is a Portuguese, and a number of his countrymen there. Dutra said the room was his. The inspectors found a considerable quantity of liquor which defendant claimed was his. He said he was treating the others. They also found a number of empty jugs in another room. Defendant was placed under arrest and at the police station $5.50 in money was found on his person.

The defendant testified in his own behalf. He said he purchased the liquor in Lawrence the Tuesday before he was visited by the liquor inspectors. He got it, he said, to give his friends a good time. It was the first time he had done this and he said he did not make the men pay for their liquor.

Five witnesses were in the room at the time of the inspectors' visit, and corroborated the testimony of the defendant.

The court ruled that there was not sufficient evidence to show that defendant sold the liquor or kept it for that purpose and accordingly found him not guilty and ordered him discharged.

The Unity club met yesterday afternoon with Mrs. Grace Hilton Gibson of Wilder street. It was voted to hold a sale Dec. 19th, at the home of Mrs. Frank E. Shaw, Tyler Park.

PRINCETON-YALE

Yale is the Favorite in the Betting

The Conditions Favorable for a Great Contest—Great Crowd on Hand to Witness the Game

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Nov. 25—The choicest kind of November weather this morning greeted the hundreds of football enthusiasts who have been looking forward to the day when Yale's varsity eleven should meet her time-honored rivals from Princeton on the gridiron in the annual contest for supremacy in this particular branch of sport. Daybreak was followed by the rising of a brilliant sun, which served to temper with just enough warmth a crisp and snappy temperature almost ideal for football.

Goodly crowds of visiting followers of the sport has reached Yale's home yesterday afternoon and evening. Their numbers were steadily increased during the night until every desirable hotel in the city and most of the hostelries, which might ordinarily be considered undesirable were occupied to the limit. By the younger and more enthusiastic element the night was largely spent in the enjoyment of a rollicking good time. Yale students and Princeton students fraternized with much exuberance, with none of the animosities of the ordinary rivals.

The hotels this morning were tardy in exhibiting ordinary life, but by nine o'clock their corridors had begun to fill and an hour later they were choked. It was not until a late hour in the forenoon that the New York trains began to unload the expected contingents, but the little towns of Connecticut where are uniformly loyal to Yale on the earliest of the morning trains began to send in their generous delegations of rooters.

The hotels and shops throughout the city were gaily decorated, while private residences displayed the Yale colors lavishly.

On the college campus all was suppressed excitement, the students chafing under the unusual action of the faculty in holding recitations as usual until 1 p. m.

Almost no betting was made this morning. The Princeton crowd did not reach New Haven until after noon and the time between that hour and 2 p. m., when the game was to be called, was occupied in procuring luncheons, etc. What few wagers were posted were recorded at the prevailing odds of 5 to 3, with Yale the favorite.

Some of the excitement usually occasioned was wanted during the forenoon because of the fact that the Princeton team this year departing from the usual custom and remaining away from New Haven until the last moment. The players from Old Nassau came to New Haven on a special train from New York, reaching this city shortly after 12 o'clock. They dressed on their train and at the proper time took carriages through unfrequented streets for Yale field.

The first special train rolled in from New York at 11.10 and was followed rapidly by others until 1 p. m.

Following is the line-up:

Yale	Position	Princeton
Hubell	le	Palmer
Francis	lt	Pell
Brown	lg	Craig
Hale	c	Booth
Olcott	rg	Edwards, capt.
Stillman	rt	Hillebrand
Snitzer	re	Poe
Fincke	qb	Hutchinson
Sharpe	lhb	Reiter
Keane	rhb	McCord
McBride (capt.)	fb	Wheeler

As the all-important hour approached, a light wind sprang up out of the north-west. It gathered somewhat in strength and brought with it a spread of cloudiness, which became heavier and later obscured the sun. At noon the sky was overcast, but there appeared to be no indications of a storm and it seemed likely that the great game would be played under weather conditions similar to those prevailing for the Yale-Harvard game at Cambridge last week with the temperature a trifle lower than that of last Saturday. It did not interfere with the crowds however, and at 12.30 the spectators began to journey to the field.

At 1.45 p. m., the crowd was pouring into the stands which were well filled. The colors made a fine picture. Yale blue predominated but there was a good sprinkling of Princeton yellow and here and there a dash of Harvard crimson. The Pennsylvania football team sat in a body on the east stand. The wind was strong on the northwest and cold. It blows diagonally across the field.

Miss Helen Melvin of Derry, N. H., is the guest of Mrs. H. W. Hyde of Grove street.

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Here's an Excellent Chance.

at a lot of fine Overcoats made by Rogers, Peet & Co., with a few of our own highest cost garments added.

Blue Whitney Beavers, Black Ratines, Olive mixed Esquimaux and light colored Box Cloths. These represent several of the most expensive lots of overcoats in our stock and have not sold rapidly on account of the great demand for grays. Every one of these garments is quite equal to the best produced here by a merchant tailor; are most of them lined with heavy worsted, have satin shoulders and sleeves.

Our prices until today have been $25 and $30. All are now offered at one figure,

$19.85

Breezy Patterns

In Fancy Dress Shirts.

We open this morning a new invoice of the most attractive fancy shirts that we have ever shown. Nothing resembling this collection has been seen and you'll not find these new ideas in other houses before next March. Stiff bosoms all over fancy bodies, vertical stripes and spaced figures, cuffs on or off.

Two qualities—

45 AND 95C.

PUTNAM & SON,

166 Central Street.

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These are the actual conditions: We bought the cloth for a thousand Reefers and had them made last summer during the dull season. Since then the prices have gone up over 40 per cent. The garments that we had made to sell for $2.48, we couldn't buy them wholesale for that price at the present time; the same with our large stock of Boys' Top Coats, but as long as our present stock lasts, (and it won't be long under these conditions) we will sell:

$1.75 Boys' Reefers, 3 to 8 years, for 82c.

$2.50 Boys' Reefers, 3 to 8 years, for $1.78.

$3.50 Boys' Reefers, 8 to 16 years, for $2.48.

$5.00 Boys' Long Lamb's Wool Chinchilla Reefers for $3.83.

$6.00 Boys' Irish Frieze and Germania Chinchilla Reefers, for $4.68.

$4.00 Boys' Top Coats for $2.83.

$5.00 Boys' Top Coats for $3.98.

$6.00 Boys' Top Coats for $4.25.

$7.50 Boys' Top Coats for $4.98.

Don't wait until our present stock is exhausted. With a steadily advancing market it will be impossible to sell our next invoice at this price.

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One-Price Clothing
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Payable in every town in England, Ireland and Scotland, free of discount. Passage tickets at lowest rates.

J. F. O'Donnell's Steamship Agency, 324 Market St., Cor. Worthen.

WORLD'S RECORD

Made at Dracut Rifle Range Today

BY PRIV. GANNON OF COMPANY C

He Made 455 in 100 Shots

Private W. C. Gannon of Co. C., Sixth Regiment, made a world's record at rifle shooting this morning. In 100 shots he made the remarkable score of 455.

The time required for the shooting was one hour and 35 minutes. Private George Anderson officiated as marker and Burt Smithson of Dracut was scorer.

Private Gannon's score was as follows:

5	4	4	5	5	4	6	4	5	4—45
5	4	5	5	4	5	4	4	5	4—45
5	5	4	5	5	5	4	4	4	5—46
4	5	4	4	5	4	4	5	5	5—45
5	4	5	4	5	5	5	4	5	5—47
4	4	4	5	5	5	4	4	5	5—45
5	5	5	5	4	4	4	4	5	4—46
4	5	4	5	4	5	4	4	4	5—44
4	4	5	5	5	5	5	5	4	5—47

Total 455

Private Gannon has a reputation in the Massachusetts militia as a wonderful shot. On one occasion at the state range at Walnut hill he made 19 consecutive bulls' eyes.

FOUND GUILTY

POLES HELD FOR MURDER IN FIRST DEGREE.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

POTTSVILLE, Pa., Nov. 25.--Michael Baronosky, Andrew Corese, Anthony Machulas, Joseph Sachinskey, Peter Stenkowicz, and Anthony Stenkowicz and John Stenkowicz, all miners, were convicted today of murder in the first degree in causing the death of Joseph Rutkowski, on September 21, last, at William Penn, this county. The last three are brothers. The murder was the result, it is claimed, of a vow taken by members of a Polish secret society, of which the defendants were members.

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Money deposited Saturday, Dec. 2d, or before, in our Savings Department will draw interest from Dec. 1st at rate of 4 per cent per annum. Compounded semi-annually.

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Thanksgiving

Let's hope that everyone will have Turkey. But turkey without the dressing would be insipid, and the dressing without

DOWS' SAGE

would be tasteless. The best way is to get the herbs from us. That's the surest way of securing unadulterated, uniform sage flavor. We also supply Summer Savory, Thyme and Marjoram.

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HADN'T YOU BETTER FIX UP A LITTLE —FOR— Thanksgiving Day?

The old folks or the young folks will come to dinner. A new carpet, linoleum or oil cloth, would improve the looks of that dining room so much. A few extra chairs may be needed, or a large table, or a couch in the sitting room. The old range may spoil that fine turkey. In fact, you will need these things later on anyway. You might as well get them now and enjoy the use of them while paying for them on our weekly payment system. You'll hardly feel the outlay.

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THE SUN LATEST!

5 O'CLOCK

ENGLISH DISGUSTED

At "Side Affairs" of the Boer War

People Resort to Clever Advertising Schemes—English Officers Aghast at Queen's Christmas Gifts

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LONDON, Nov. 25—Among the serious minded, conservative English people there is a growing feeling of disgust at the spread of the nauseating namby—pambyism which finds an excuse in the war. The hysterical outbreak which has ensued since "Tommy Atkins" and his officer became a full fledged society craze has already been the subject of satirical articles in the better class of British publications, and now all signs point to a reaction from that unreasoning enthusiasm which is responsible for so many undignified antics. Never were the old English army officers so aghast as when they read of the Queen's decision to send a box of chocolate to each man in the field as a Christmas present. Compared with her simple speeches at her farewells to the troops this announcement appeared as a sudden descent from the sublime to the ridiculous. On top of this came the heroic accounts of correspondent Churchill fighting battles and commanding troops, and regular officers poured in letters to the papers protesting against this. Though not belittling Churchill's personal bravery in this Natal campaign, an officer was obliged to tell Churchill that his help was not needed to command a company. Other instances of this young ex-officer's readiness to interfere have been printed since the glowing accounts of the armored train affair. While it is pointed out that he does not deserve good treatment from the Boers, having violated the usages of war, the report of his expected release is contrasted with the alleged action of the French and Germans who, it is claimed, during the war of 1870, shot all non-combatants found carrying arms.

While the big West End caterers are busy shipping hundreds of cases of champagne and Pate De Foi gras to the regimental messes in South Africa, society women are working feverishly, making plumb puddings for these unmaking plum puddings for these contain costly jewelry, tie-pins, rings and other mementoes from admiring women. Lady Colin-Campbell has made no fewer than 106 plum puddings for the Dublin Fusiliers, and several puddings have been sent to Winston Churchill, addressed to Pretoria. Though the majority of such efforts are doubtless prompted by genuine patriotism and a desire to alleviate the sufferings of the soldiers, the charitable movement is taken advantage of by notorious self-advertisers, both social and mercantile. Women who have not been received in society, in spite of the efforts of years, have been nothing in their endeavors to get publicity for their particular scheme to raise money or articles to send out to South Africa. Incidentally, it is announced that the Duke of Abercorn has ordered for the field Red Cross three hundred dozen of Messrs. So-and-so's handkerchiefs, "which are famous for their softness and delicate texture," etc., and every theatrical press agent in the country is reaping harvests by obtaining gratuitous advertisements from hitherto unheard of actors and actresses who are willing to recite a war poem or do a turn to help the war funds. This, of course, scarcely applies to the few leaders of the profession who originated the idea of an American quota of charity, a movement which culminated in Mrs. Brown Potter's The Chantant, though the latter has not escaped criticism. The Times set the example by giving it a meagre and uncomplimentary report in its news columns and since then several society and other papers have referred satirically at the excesses which marked the tipping and other methods employed at the entertainment to raise funds. The amount of advertising some theatrical nobodies have secured is not excused even by the presence of royalties. Many prominent members of the American colony here freely express in private conversation their disappointment and stronger feelings at the proceedings of this performance. Mr. Joseph H. Choate, the United States ambassador, was placed in an awkward position by finding, upon his arrival here, that he was apparently actively associated with The Chantant's management. One individual was officially discountenanced by the embassy, and the same was the case with several others who, though known in the London papers as Americans, are not claimed as such by the various ambassadors or are not received in New York society.

On the other hand the hospital ship Princess of Wales, fitted up at the instigation and with the personal supervision of the member of the royal family after whom she was named, was done quietly and is now ready to sail. A great part of the cost was borne by the Princess' own pocket but its complete control is given to the army medical department.

A rumor has been printed that the long-existing and strong family friendship between Joseph Chamberlain and Sir Alfred Milner may culminate in their becoming brothers-in-law. But a representative of the Associated Press learns that Mr. Chamberlain has only one sister and she is married. So, unless Sir Alfred Milner weds a sister of Mr. Chamberlain's former wives, it is hard to see how the tie can be effected.

M. A. P. (Mainly About People) is authority for the statement that Gen. Kitchener, before leaving England recently made a strenuous attempt to obtain the supreme command in South Africa, but was refused on account of his junior rank and lack of knowledge of South African conditions. A cabinet minister is quoted as saying relative to General Kitchener's request:

"Why, when he got to Pretoria, the man might actually send Kruger's head to Madame Tussaud's."

WINGATE'S FORCE.

A letter from an officer at Omdurman says that Wingate's force which recently defeated the dervishes near the Nile, south of Khartoum, consisted of five squadrons of cavalry, two infantry brigades, two howitzers, ten maxim guns and 1,600 camels. The letter adds:

"We shall have to attack the Khalifa this winter. There is no probability of his attacking Omdurman. But he will do his utmost to create risings and will attempt a raid along the west bank of the White Nile. He is known to have 3,500 rifle men, 7000 spearmen and more cavalry. These are reported to be full of fanatical zeal. We shall probably find our chief losses due to fever, scarcity of water, and the cattle-fly. But I assure you that when we begin the Khalifa will be vigorously pursued, to prevent his doing any more harm among the scattered dervishes in South Darfur."

YACHTING SEASON.

The next yachting season promises to be the best in many years. It is now definitely said that the Valkyrie III. will be recommissioned by her prospective new owner to whom Lord Dunraven is arranging to sell her. Lord Dunraven, by the way, was anxious to represent a London Daily in South Africa, but his physician forbid it and a younger day earl has represented the Daily Telegraph in Africa.

Mr. Charles Day Rose's new boat, is bigger and more comfortably fitted than any racer on this side of the Atlantic, though similar in lines to the Columbia. When the Columbia comes over here, if she does make the trip, she will find the Shamrock. Distant Shore, Valkyrie III, Meteor II and Britannia ready to contest against her in behalf of Europe.

Captain Hogarth is quoted as saying that under English weather conditions, the Shamrock would give the Columbia a much harder tussle.

Mrs. Goelet's Nahma is being repaired on the Clyde and is fitting for a Mediterranean cruise.

DEATHS.

WITHERELL—Sidney Witherell, aged 25 years, died at St. John's hospital yesterday. He lived at 8 Cambridge street and was an employe of the Boston and Maine railroad company.

WRIGHT—Mrs. Judith W. Wright, Nov 21, aged 86 years, at the residence widow of Joel B. Wright, died November of her son-in-law, Rufus O. Adams, 46 Twelfth street. She had been in feeble health for the last eight years. She leaves two daughters, Mrs. Adams and Mrs. Ella Simmons.

TREMBLEY—Leon Trembley, aged 24 years, died yesterday morning at his late residence, 593 Market street.

MORSE—Loretta May, aged 2 years, 8 months and 2 days, daughter of William J. and Esther H. Morse, died yesterday morning at the home of her parents, 249 Boylston street.

BROWN—John, aged 1 year and 6 months, son of John and Nellie Brown, died this morning at the home of his parents, 17 Bolton place, off Franklin street. The funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock.

SCOTT—Ray, aged 4 years and four months, child of Frank and Martha Scott, died this morning at the home of his parents, 6 Hereford place, off Marshall street.

BROKE HIS ANKLE

THOMAS SCANNEL GOT HIS FOOT CAUGHT IN A STEP.

This morning at about half past six the ambulance was summoned to the rear of 139 East Merrimack street, where a man named Thomas Scannel, residing at 133 Colburn street, in coming down a flight of steps got his foot caught in a hole, throwing him with considerable force to the ground. He was taken to St. John's hospital, where it was found that his ankle was broken. His ankle was dressed by the doctors in attendance, and at the time of going to press he was resting comfortably.

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If your blood is impure you may "work on" but you cannot even "think of ease." The blood is the greatest sustainer of the body and when you make it pure by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla you have the perfect health in which even hard work becomes ease.

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Hood's Pills cure liver ills, the non-irritating and only cathartic to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

ADVANCE ON DEC. 11

Fall River River Operatives Win a Great Victory

In Securing an Increase at the Time Fixed by Them--A Compromise That Averts the Danger of a Strike

By Associated Press to The Sun.

FALL RIVER, Nov. 25.—As a result of the conference yesterday afternoon between the representatives of the manufacturers and the labor organizations an agreement was reached which will probably settle any further controversy of the wage question for the next six months and possibly lead to the adoption of a plan later on which in its operations will provide for future changes in the wage schedule without any of the friction and disturbing features that are incident to the periodical agitation of that subject under existing conditions and practices.

The conclusion reached today is in the nature of a compromise in which each side has yielded something material to the other from its original demand.

The operatives consent to a modification of their claim for a 10 per cent. advance to one of 5 per cent., while the manufacturers retreat from their former position in refusing to concede any increase.

Both sides agree that wages shall not be disturbed before July 1, 1900, and that work on a sliding scale shall begin immediately and be settled within 60 days previous to July 1, 1900.

The conference lasted three hours. The discussion was for the most part over the amount of increase to be granted. In the end the following agreement was drawn up and signed by the secretaries of the unions and by the manufacturers:

"It is agreed to recommend to our respective organization an advance of wages of 5 per cent. on Dec. 11, 1899. No change in wages is to be made thereafter before July 1, 1900, and the sliding scale shall be immediately taken up and settled within 60 days previous to July 1, 1900."

When the conference opened the operatives told the manufacturers that they could not accept the proposition made at the last conference, that they could not bind themselves to accept any sliding scale until the wage question was first settled.

The manufacturers, after a long discussion made a proposition to advance wages 5 per cent. on Jan. 1st, unconditionally, but with the understanding that a sliding scale would afterward be considered and adopted.

The operatives retired and considered this proposition. They returned and offered a counter proposition, making the date at which the advance should go into effect Dec. 11th, instead of Jan. 1st, and changing the date at which wages could be advanced again to April instead of July. The idea was to make the changes in the scale of wages come in April and October, instead of January and July.

The manufacturers would not agree to this; they wanted wages fixed at this time, so the scale would last until July; they thought April would be too soon to make a change again.

The operatives then asked that the date at which the advance should go into effect be changed to Dec. 11, instead of Jan. 1, and after the manufacturers had retired and reconsidered this for some time they returned and offered the agreement above, which was signed.

The labor men held out for a long time for a 10 per cent. advance to take effect Dec. 11, but the manufacturers refused to grant a 10 per cent. advance. They plainly told the union men that they would stand a strike rather than submit to this demand.

There was a great deal of sparring on this point, but it always came out that way.

When the final proposition was submitted the manufacturers said this was the last concession they would make; it was a case of take it or leave it.

The delegates of the textile council considered it wise to agree to recommend that it be accepted. They felt that they had gained a considerable concession when they had the date of the advance changed from Jan. 1 to Dec. 11. This means that at least $35,000 will go into the pockets of the operatives as a Christmas present, for the operatives will get three weeks more of the 5 per cent advance than they would if the advance did not go into effect until Jan. 1, and 5 per cent of the payroll for three weeks amounts to about $70,000.

The manufacturers' association and the several labor organizations will now be asked to ratify this agreement. If they do, and it is probable they will, the incident will be closed and the new schedule will go into effect at the time named.

At a meeting of the textile council last night which lasted two hours, the report of the committee of five in consultation with the manufacturers yesterday afternoon was accepted with a vote of thanks.

A motion was carried with but one dissenting vote to recommend to the respective unions the advisability of accepting the manufacturers' offer. It was voted to recommend to the unions to meet simultaneously next Friday night and take action.

The council adjourned last night subject to a call of the president.

MATRIMONIAL.

Mr. James T. Sullivan of Lowell and Miss Della F. Sexton, formerly of Lowell, were united in matrimony on Wednesday last at Hull, Rev. Fr. Roach performing the ceremony. The best man was Mr. Clement McGowan and the bride was attended by her cousin, Miss Katie Gallagher of Lowell. Friends were present from New York, Boston and Lowell. Many beautiful presents were received by the happy couple, who will reside in Hull.

DEVLIN—DONAHUE.

Mr. John J. Devlin and Miss Elizabeth A. Donahue were united in marriage Wednesday afternoon at 4.30 o'clock at the parochial residence of St. Peter's parish by Rev. Fr. George Mullin. The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Annie T. Donahue, and the best man was Mr. Michael W. Muleahy. A reception was held immediately after the ceremony at 58 Tyler street, where the young couple will reside upon their return from a bridal trip to Washington. Mr. Devlin is a popular member of the Y. M. C. I. of Belvidere.

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No use going to a tailor, with such high class garments ready for use to select from and put on and wear on the spot. Our best ready-to-wear clothing ranging from $10 to $20 is the thing for the man wanting faultlessly tailored and perfectly fitting Suit or Overcoat.

$6 Box Raw Edge, Brown Kersey Overcoats

The $6 Box Raw Edge, All Wool Brown Kersey Overcoats are another instance of our superior value giving. No better Overcoats are sold at $10 in many stores of this city.

J. L. CHALIFOUX.

Central and Middle Sts.

NAVY YARD FIRE

Destroyed an Historic Building

AT THE NAVY YARD THIS MORNING

The Loss Will Probably Exceed $100,000

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BOSTON, Nov. 25.—One of the oldest buildings in the Charlestown Navy yard, a building which has witnessed for many years, the evolution of the ship building art, was reduced to a smouldering pile by fire this morning. It was that known as the "Plater's building," which, back in the early 70's was known as the "Bending mill."

About 8 o'clock this morning, Fireman William A. Perry, hearing an explosion, rushed out of the steam engineering building nearby and saw smoke rolling from out the platers' building. He immediately sounded an alarm which was followed 10 minutes later by a second alarm.

In the meantime, however, the Navy yard contingent had by no means been idle. The bugle sent the "Fire Call" echoing through the great yard and in answer thereto, the Marine battalion stationed at the barracks and sailors from the Wabash and the Machias came tumbling out, ready for fire duty. They worked with a will and assisted the firemen to a considerable degree.

The building is a two and a half story wooden structure, 150 feet long and 70 feet wide, with an annex 10x50 and situated near the old ship buildings.

The fire was a stubborn one at first and threatened to spread to adjoining structures. In fact, several of them caught fire but through energetic work the flames were confined to the original building.

This, as has been stated was totally destroyed, and the valuable machinery which it contained, is practically ruined. The loss is estimated at between $75,000 and $100,000. No insurance was carried either on the burned structure or on the machinery, so that the loss will be total.

The fire boat Engine No. 44 poured tons of water into the fire and greatly aided progress of the blaze, an immense cloud of black smoke settled over the harbor, giving basis to rumors that the greater part of the yard was being consumed.

BIG STRIKE EXPECTED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

OMAHA, Neb., Nov. 25.—Indications are that every union job printer, pressman, press-feeder and book binder here, aggregating about 360 men, will strike next Monday. The trouble lies in the nine-hour day agreement, which is due to go into effect on that day.

REP. CANDIDATES

HAD HARMONY BOTTLED AND ON THE SHELL AT SEN. PUTNAM'S.

Senator Putnam last night held the second in the series of harmony dinners at his home in Centralville. Those present were Messrs. Hayes, Wilson, Bennett, Rose, Poore and others, and the "and others" in this case were quite numerous, for Put, as the candidate could hardly risk being as exclusive as Mr. Rose. Plans of campaign were arranged and every one told how much he would work for the ticket. All hatchets were buried with the handles protruding from the ground for an emergency. It has been suggested that by the time the candidates get through with their harmony dinners and school boy trips to Boston, they'll be in condition to "write the doctor" rather than Mr. Rose, for there'll be a most painful lack of harmony in their midsts.

SCHOONER SUNK

WAS RUN DOWN BY UNKNOWN BOAT.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW LONDON, Conn., Nov. 25.—The schooner Lillie A. Warford, Captain Handy, Edgewater, N. J., for Marion, Mass., with 223 tons of coal, was run into by an unknown three-masted schooner, near Faulkner's Island, during the night and sank. Captain Handy and four men took yawl boat and were picked up by schooner Frank Leaming, Captain Campbell, bound for this port and brought in here this morning. Captain Handy stated that the boat that sunk his vessel paid no attention to the signals of distress but left him and his crew to their fate. The Warford's top-masts are about 12 feet out of water. An attempt will be made to float the schooner.

Now is the time when the office-holders are figuring out their chances for re-election and sizing up the strength of the tickets.

LIQUOR SEIZURE

A Bartender Caught Well Loaded

WITH BOTTLES OF WHISKEY

A Girl From Central Falls Sought Here

The saloon formerly kept by one Clark on Adams street was visited late yesterday afternoon by the liquor inspectors who caught the bartender, Daniel Clark with whiskey in his possession. When the inspectors arrived the bartender rushed to the end of the bar and seized a pint bottle almost full of whiskey but was caught before he could make away with it. When brought to the station and searched two more full pint bottles were found upon his person.

GIRL MISSING

Little Emma Burke, aged 14 years, left her happy home in Central Falls, Vt., about four weeks ago to come to Lowell to seek employment. It is not known whether she arrived here or not but her mother has not heard from her and would like to be informed as to her present whereabouts. It seems that the mother had an idea that Lowell was a small place and that she could come here and find her daughter without any trouble. She reached here yesterday and after trying in vain to gain some trace of the child, called at the police station last night to ask the assistance of the police. Any person knowing the child's whereabouts will please communicate with Mrs. Burke, 28 Robeson street, Lowell.

SMOKE STACK

TO BE ERECTED AT HUNTINGTON HALL.

The steam plant for the heating of Huntington and Jackson halls is progressing rapidly, and when completed will probably be the finest and most complete, as well as the largest, heating plant in the city. The boilers are already in position, the brick work is completed, and the boiler used is of Lowell manufacture and the largest of its kind in use. The boiler room is located immediately under the Shattuck street entrance, over which is the chimney. This is to be made of boiler plate, wrought iron, securely riveted and its total height will be sixty-five feet, with a hood attachment, and will probably be erected tomorrow. It will run up alongside of the Shattuck street entrance, and will do away with the necessity of building a brick chimney. It is considered the largest smoke stack which was ever constructed in this city.

FUNERALS.

CARPENTER—The funeral of Joseph Carpenter, child of George and Helene Carpenter, took place yesterday afternoon at 1 o'clock, from the home of his parents, 4 Merrimack avenue, off Merrimack street. Interment was in St. Joseph's cemetery, under the direction of Undertaker Archambeault.

O'NEIL—The funeral of Mrs. Mary O'Neil took place yesterday afternoon from her late residence, 86 Bowden street, and was largely attended. Services were held at the Sacred Heart church, Rev. Fr. Reynolds, O. M. I., officiating. The body was sent to Attleboro Falls for interment by Undertaker McDermott.

DUFF—The funeral of Catherine Duff will take place Monday morning at 9 o'clock from St. Peter's church.

That is all a bluff about finding a diamond pin in a turkey crop, but it is no bluff when we tell you that you can save tons of black diamonds if you had one of Gaynor & Co.'s heating stoves. Call at 35 Prescott street and get prices. We can please you.

NOTICE.

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REV. SAMUEL MAY

FAMOUS ABOLITIONIST DIED YESTERDAY AT WORCESTER.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WORCESTER, Nov. 25.—Rev. Samuel May, the famous abolitionist, died at his home in Leicester yesterday. He would have been 90 years old next April. He was a graduate of Harvard, class of 1829.

Rev. Samuel May was born in Boston on April 11, 1810. His labors in the cause of abolition began with his ordination to the ministry in 1833.

Mayor Crowley was not at city hall today.

Secretary Courtney of the overseers of the poor is confined to his home for a few days with a severe cold. He expects to be around again Monday.

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Prof. W. H. Peeke, who makes a specialty of Epilepsy, has without doubt treated and cured more cases than any living Physician; his success is astonishing. We have heard of cases of 20 years' standing cured by him. He publishes a valuable work on this disease which he sends with a large bottle of his absolute cure, free to any sufferer who may send their P. O. and Express address. We advise anyone wishing a cure to address, Prof. W. H. PEEKE, F. D., 4 Cedar St., New York.

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NOTICE.

Lowell, Nov. 24, 1899.

There will be a meeting of farmers and milk dealers in the Board of Trade room Central Block, on Monday, Nov. 27, at 2 o'clock, p. m. All interested in the production and sale of milk are most earnestly requested to be present. Come all and bring your neighbors.

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ANDREW E. BARRETT, CANDIDATE FOR PURCHASING AGENT.

Democratic Aldermanic Ticket is Much Stronger Than Its Rival Ticket—Purchasing Agent Barrett Has an Easy Thing

The result of the republican caucuses Thursday night practically assures the election of a majority of the board of aldermen by the democrats, provided that the democracy votes straight, for barring Charles D. Paige in ward one and George H. Taylor in ward six, it cannot show a really strong candidate. But, furthermore, Paige's strength has never been tried outside of ward one, and it is not infrequent that men strong in their respective wards come to grief when they come before the entire city. Councilman Paige, while president of the common council, showed no particular ability, but he did show a rank partisan spirit which at times rendered his judgment decidedly unfair. He knew how to choke off any democrat who desired to be heard on a popular measure and worked his method often. He may get the entire republican strength, but is doubtful if any independent or democrat will support him.

Alderman Taylor is looking for a second term, with his eye on the mayoralty. Should he be re-elected he will be in the field next year for mayor, and for that reason some of the friends of Putnam and Hayes will strive to let him down this year, for they want the field clear to themselves, the caucuses of Thursday having finally disposed of John C. Wilson.

Councilman Badger goes into the field somewhat handicapped by reason of the fact that his candidacy froze out Alderman Derby, who wanted another term. Badger did little harm and less good in the common council this year, and a chair-warming councilman rarely rises as high as the aldermanic seat.

After much sparring and tinkering, and only after the French voters of Lowell had said in unmistakable tones "Put Beaulieu on the ticket," the party managers finally consented to allow John H. Beaulieu to be a candidate for alderman from ward five. Beaulieu was cut in good style last year, and no one can discover any change in the conditions up to the present.

In ward nine the candidate is Councilman William Whittet, who got a job for his brother as superintendent of commons and then rested for the remainder of the year. The brother, is one of the most independent officials in the hall and has made some enemies who will "square" themselves by doing up the aldermanic candidate for with Whittet in the board of aldermen, the brother will remain in his berth.

The other candidates are not generally known and unknowns are undesirables.

THE PURCHASING AGENCY.

If all democratic candidates had before him no harder proposition than that which confronts Purchasing Agent Andrew E. Barrett. In the person of Virgil G. Barnard, they would indeed be fortunate, for it doesn't seem possible that the voters of a city who defeated Barnard by 840 votes would elect him again. Mr. Barnard's only recommendation for the position of purchasing agent appears to be the fact that he needs employment for, despite his extraordinary ability, he has not held any position since leaving city hall except that of an insurance agent.

Mr. Barnard's administration cannot stand a comparison with that of Mr. Barrett. The latter has satisfied all Lowell except perhaps two firms which in the vernacular "had a clinch" on city orders when Mr. Barnard was in office. Mr. Barrett's administration has been far more successful and satisfactory than that of his predecessors, as any leading business man will aver regardless of political affiliation. Mr. Barrett has divided up his smaller orders among all the business houses playing no favorites, and less business has gone out of town than in Mr. Barnard's time. Under Mr. Barrett all competitions have been absolutely fair and square, and all contracts have gone to the lowest bidders in all cases.

Another recommendation for Mr. Barrett's administration is the fine manner in which he got along with the heads of the various departments. There was no friction and doubtless they would like to see him re-elected. He was most courteous to them, supplying them with their wants in as short a time as possible. Mr. Barnard adopted a "penny wise, pound foolish" policy in dealing with the heads of departments, and while no money was saved in the long run, he made himself unpopular with those around him. The records of Mr. Barrett's office are open to inspection, and while he has not satisfied all he has satisfied more business men than did Mr. Barnard.

Mr. Barrett has conducted the affairs of the office as he would his own private affairs, and that is the secret of his successful administration.

Some people have said that such an important office as purchasing agent should only go to a man paying a substantial tax. Here again Mr. Barrett appeals most favorably to the voters. Purchasing Agent Barrett is the heaviest taxpayer in city hall. He pays a tax of $340. Thus, taking all things into consideration, it is not an exaggeration to predict that Andrew E. Barrett will be elected by a majority of 1000.

There will be great hustling among the democratic candidates for the minor offices tomorrow, for it is their last chances, as the caucuses will be held on Monday night.

Editor Sun:

In reply to my communication of Thursday, favoring the candidacy of Thomas J. Murphy for the school board in ward two, I noticed a letter in your issue of last night, signed by Mr. Daly in which that gentleman uses, in my judgment, unnecessarily strong language. As I wrote in all fairness, I think he has had no occasion to grow ugly over it. I stated that he lived outside the ward because I know that he maintains a comfortable home on Butterfield street, though it seems according to his statement that he resides at his store on Suffolk street. So much for that. Mr. Daly further states that Mr. Murphy opposed him when he had only served one term. This is true. But it is not true that Mr. Murphy opposed his second attempt for election as his letter might lead some to believe. Mr. Daly having served one term, sought a second one and was defeated by Mr. Mulligan. After Mr. Mulligan had served his terms, the field was open to any and all who might desire to contest and Mr. Daly, Mr. Murphy and Mr. Johnson entered; each had a right and none a superior claim. Mr. Murphy served his term with distinction and now seeks a second term. At the eleventh hour Mr. Daly has gone in against him. It would seem to me that in this case, leaving his extraordinarily fine record out of the question, Mr. Murphy still has the greater claim to the position. Hoping that ward two will return Mr. Murphy to the school board, I remain,

Respectfully,
"GOOD WILL."

In ward four it looks as if the old members would be returned to the common council, although there are many new candidates in the ward.

Thomas F. Lyons, his friends inform me, is slated a sure winner in ward two. He is a hardworking and able young man and if elected will make a good councilman.

Bernard F. Lee is another strong candidate for the council in ward two and ward two will be well represented anyway.

FOR McCABE.

Mr. Editor:—Now that the time of municipal campaign is at its height and that candidates for the councilmanic nomination are being boomed, I feel it my duty as a voter of ward five to speak of one man in many who is aspiring for said nomination and who, I feel and know, will be a credit to his constituents, if put in the council chamber. He is a man of good moral character, whose ability to fill such a position is excelled by none. He is a resident of the ward and a man who is very shrewd in looking after the affairs of his fellow voters of the ward.

I have known the young man from childhood and I have given his career a careful study up to the present time, and I must say he is not lacking one iota in what goes to make up an honorable upright young man, a man who will insist on right being right and wrong being wrong: he will prove to be a friend staunch and true to the voters of ward five if given the nomination as a councilman of the ward at the caucus on next Monday evening. The gentleman I speak of is George McCabe. Fellow voters, I appeal to you, as one of you,, to put our best men to the front, give them the nomination next Monday evening and if we do this we will not fear their election.

Without a doubt they will be elected to a position which awaits them in our city council and when once there, they will look after our interests.

George McCabe is one of those kind of men and if once put there you will never have reason to regret it. Signed,

A VOTER OF WARD FIVE.

GEN. WOOD

COMING HOME TO ACQUAINT McKINLEY WITH CUBAN AFFAIRS.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 25.—The war department has been advised that the transport McPherson sailed from Santiago with General Leonard Wood aboard. The officials of the war department from the secretary down refuse to make any statement as to the meaning of the visit of General Wood to Washington at this time. It is beyond question, however, that it is the purpose of the president to advise with General Wood upon Cuban affairs in order to strengthen his hands in dealing with that subject before congress. Also it is not to be doubted that the name of the general has been under consideration in connection with the civil administration of the affairs of the whole or part of Cuba, when the change is made from a military to a civil form of government. This is not necessarily an indication that he has been selected for such a post, for it is equally true that the names of General Ludlow and of General Wilson have also been considered. General Ludlow preceded General Wood to Washington and now it appears likely that General Wilson will also be invited to come to the capital, so that the president will be personally acquainted with the qualifications of the three officers who have been looked upon as making up the limit of choice in the civil governorship.

A REASON FOR IT.

There Is Only One Pile Cure That Has Reached a National Popularity and Reputation.

There are many popular medicines that are known in every household in America.

There are blood purifiers, nerve tonics, headache remedies, dyspepsia cures and cough cures, which are sold in every drug store in the nation and beyond.

But all of these must divide their popularity with many rivals, no one remedy has the field to itself with the single exception of pile cures for it is a singular fact that there is but one pile cure that can be considered as having a national reputation, without a rival and the one referred to is the Pyramid Pile Cure which for seven years has steadily worked into the public favor by reason of its extraordinary merit until it is known from Maine to California and from Manitoba to the gulf.

It is true there are many pile remedies having a small local reputation for a year or two but the Pyramid Pile Cure has rapidly supplanted them all and really has the field to itself when anything like national popularity is considered.

The explanation is simple. It is because piles is in no sense an imaginary trouble that a bread pill or a simple salve or ointment will cure but an obstinate, painful and often dangerous trouble and a remedy to give satisfaction must possess positive and very apparent merit. A person suffering from piles will not experiment for months with a remedy; it must give relief and a cure in short order or it is condemned.

The worst cases of piles are relieved on the first application of the Pyramid and a cure will result in a reasonable time from its regular use.

Medical men use it in preference to operations because it is safer, it is perfectly painless and the cost to the patient is a mere trifle as all druggists sell the Pyramid Pile Cure at 50c, and as it is used at night, it cures without interfering with regular occupation.

If suffering from any form of piles, bleeding, itching or protruding, a trial of the Pyramid will cure you and add another to its thousands of friends.

Mr. Thomas J. Murphy, candidate for the school board from ward two has issued a strong circular to the voters of his ward, reviewing his career and asking the honor of a second term. Mr. Murphy's defeat of Sweatair and Schoolcraft on the evening drawing school committee was one of the most notable incidents of this year's deliberations.

The hustlers who are canvassing ward two in the interest of Frank E. McMahon, who is a candidate for overseer of the poor in that ward, have met with favorable responses to their solicitations and are confident that Mr. McMahon will be successful.

Lowell, Mass., Nov. 24, 1899.

Mr. Editor:

With your kind permission, I desire to take a little space to say a few words in behalf of the present councilman, Patrick H. Berry, who has stood by the working man and all the voters of ward two should stand by him. He has done more for the working man than all the rest together. Councilman Barry is a member of Court Merrimack, F. of A., of the A. O. H.; of the Brewery Workmen; and of the Celtics. Thanking you for your valuable space, I am,

OULD TIMER.

Lowell, Nov. 24, 1899.

Mr. Editor of the Lowell Sun:

The name of James E. Gorman is frequently mentioned as the most probable to receive the endorsement of the voters for overseer of the poor in ward four. Mr. Gorman is the present official and the well known shoe dealer of Gorham street. During his term as overseer, he has watched over the interests of the ward with the greatest zeal and has always treated with courtesy those who sought his aid in procuring assistance. These are the reasons for believing in Mr. Gorman's success. The people know him; he is not a new man to them and in looking over the list of candidates, there is only one conclusion for those who wish to have the most capable man represent them, namely, to re-endorse the name of Mr. James E. Gorman for overseer of the poor.

Yours respectfully,
CROSBY STREET.

Mr. Editor:

Please allow me space in your paper to say a few words in regard to Councilman John F. Dillon, candidate for second term as councilman from Ward 5. He has held the office in the past with credit to himself and satisfaction to his constituents. He is a man who has the reputation of being perfectly straight-forward in all his political dealings and I think the voters of ward five will do well by giving him a rousing vote at the caucus on Monday night.

WARD FIVE.

Editor Sun:

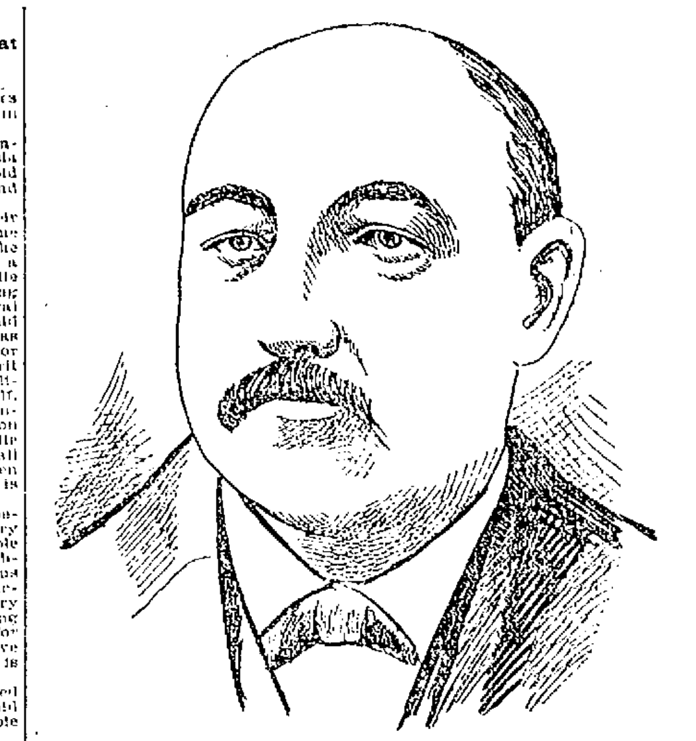
I am a voter of ward 2 who has no choice of candidates, but, judging from what I have read and heard, I believe that the soldier candidate, Joseph P. Meehan, is the man most fitted to represent the ward in the next city council. Unlike most candidates, Mr. Meehan is very modest in bestowing praise upon himself. He prefers to let his friends extol his good qualities.

In him can be found the makings of a man who will stand as firm by the standards of democracy as he withstood the march across the island of Porto Rico, when he remained one of the few soldiers which comprised a grand fragment of a once brave regiment.

He is a young man who was born and has always resided in the ward. He attended the Green grammar and the Lowell high school. In the neighborhood in which he resides there cannot be found a person who has anything but a good word for Joe. For these reasons I believe Mr. Meehan to be the man most capable to represent the ward in the next council.

A SUN READER.

Editor of The Sun: If you will kindly allow me a little space in your valuable paper I shall endeavor to show to the voters of ward four where it will be for their interest to renominate and elect Councilman Michael J. Markham. Ward four and so may be it said of old ward three has sent some of the ablest and best representatives and exponents of democracy that have ever had seats in our city government. But the voters have never sent one yet who was any truer than the one whom I have already mentioned, and for whom, this communication is intended. He is a gentleman who can be approached by any one, no matter how humble in life. He makes no distinction and is always ready to do a favor if within his power. He has been in every respect a credit to those whom he represents and has always been on the lookout for the best interests of his ward. There has not been an improvement carried for the ward with which he is not in some way or other identified and there are many of them. It was through his efforts that Winter street was extended and there is no one knows that any better than the people of that district. Then again it may be said that it was he who had the trees removed from the south common ball grounds. It was he who did most to have Gorham street paved



EDMUND B. O'KENNEDY, IRISH PATRIOT JUST RELEASED FROM AN ENGLISH PRISON.

as a member of the committee on appropriations. When the rest of the committee wanted to drop the appropriation he stood up and fought for it and won. It is to him the credit for the present system of assessors belongs. Every reader of The Sun remembers the investigation and the result. The committee consisted of two democrats and three republicans. The republicans were unanimous on their report and agreed to clean out the whole office. The two democrats differed with them and had a report each. Councilman Markham's report was known as the minority report. Neither was adopted until Alderman Dimon took up the matter and the result was that Markham's report or the ideas contained therein was the one that was adopted. He has been tendered a vote of thanks by the Central Labor union in May, 1898, for the manner in which he tried to guard the interest of the citizens of Lowell against contract labor from employing outside laborers who were not citizens of Lowell. He has voted for all measures that were of interest to the working man and there is one thing that he may feel proud of, that he is respected by his political enemies and looked upon as a hard one to run up against and the result is that whenever he puts in a resolution or order it goes through and he generally gains his point. He is a ready debater and has been gifted with good common sense. He is looked upon as the right man in the right place. It was he who by his able parliamentary tactics when all seemed to be lost, gained the election of Francis M. Fagan as city messenger. He was honored by his fellow democrats as their choice for president of the common council and made the opposition center on one to defeat him. He is in every respect the true type of the young democracy and one whom the voters of ward four may well feel proud of and the only way in which they can show him their respect is to attend the caucuses next Monday night and see that the name of Michael J. Markham is crossed on their ballot.

WARD FOUR.

Editor Sun

I would like to add my endorsement to the candidacy of Matthew Coupe for the overseer of the poor in ward two. As there are but a few days left for the candidates to approach the voters for the caucus Monday evening, I have known Mr. Coupe for a number of years and always found him a hustler in the democratic ranks in the past as well as at the present time. Mr. Coupe never before aspired for any office, but his opponents have come before us upon many occasions. Therefore, you should lay by those men who come before us so often and give some one else a chance. Mr. Coupe, if elected, is well qualified for the position. He is a man who understands the needs of the poor. At the present time Mr. Coupe runs a boarding house upon the Merrimack corporation, and has done so for years. He is very popular amongst the fraternal organizations, being a past chief ranger of Court Wamesit, No. 51, F. of A., a member of the Royal Arcanum and the I. O. O. F. organization. I shall, therefore, close by asking the voters of ward two when they go to the polls on Monday to see that they put a cross against the name of Matthew Coupe for overseer of the poor of ward two.

J. J. M.

SONS ARRESTED

ON SUSPICION OF CAUSING FATHER'S DEATH.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BOSTON, November 25.—About 11.30 yesterday morning Timothy Casey, aged 78, was found in a tenement on the third floor of the house at 16 Medford street, Charlestown, with his face, hands and shoulders severely burned. The police ambulance was sent for and on its arrival Mr. Casey walked, with assistance down one flight of stairs. He was then laid on the stretcher and carried to the ambulance. When the ambulance started on its way to the hospital it was found that the man was dead.

The body was taken to undertaking rooms on Howard street and the medical examiner notified.

When the report was made at station 15, a detail of police was sent to the house, and Timothy and Cornelius Casey, sons of the dead man, were placed under arrest to await the medical examiner's finding. Two other tenants, Mrs. Rufus H. Sarbird and Mr. Carroll were also taken to the station as witnesses.

It is stated that on Thursday night there was a row in the Casey household, during which a lighted lamp was thrown at Mr. Casey. Mr. Carroll stated to the police that he opened the door of Mr. Casey's room on hearing outcries and saw one of the sons kick his father.

Cornelius is sometimes employed as a longshoreman.

Mr. Casey, the father had the reputation of being a hard-working man and was well known in the vicinity of Charlestown Neck.

A. A. Farland of New York, phenomenal banjoist; Walter Eccles of Boston, humorist, at Stratton's concert, next Wednesday evening. Seats at Ellingwood's now.

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O'KENNEDY IN BOSTON.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BOSTON, Nov. 25.—Edmund B. O'Kennedy, better known as "Featherstone," a nom-de-plume he assumed while in Ireland in 1883 and who was recently liberated from an English prison where he served nearly sixteen years for being connected with the Irish political movement is now visiting friends in this city and is receiving considerable attention from those who sympathize with him for the long term of imprisonment he endured. Mr O'Kennedy left this country in 1883 for Ireland where he had not visited for many years and while in Cork it came to his notice that he was being shadowed and to avoid annoyance in his visit to his native land he was obliged to assume the name of Featherstone. He tells a harrowing tale of experience in English prisons.

FR. McKENNA

LECTURED TO SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHERS' OF ST. PETER'S CHURCH.

A meeting of the Sunday school teachers of St. Peter's church was held Thursday evening at the fair hall. Rev. John McKenna delivered a lecture on Joan of Arc which was very interesting and was thoroughly enjoyed by the young ladies. After the lecture a literary program was enjoyed, including piano selections by Miss Mary Murray; vocal solos, Miss Katharine Kelley and readings by Miss Mary Crane.

The next meeting will be held on Wednesday evening, December 6, when the young ladies will enjoy ice cream and a social time.

NEW FIRM.

Meehan & Co., hat manufacturers, are located at No. 7 Merrimack, where they are showing a large line of fine and medium grade of men's hats. They also make hats to order to fit any head. High class repairing. Hats cleaned while you wait.

FAREWELL RECEPTION

TO MISS PERRAULT AT NORTH CHELMSFORD.

A farewell reception was tendered to Miss Minnie Perrault, a popular young lady of the Bon Marche, who is soon to leave for Chicago where she will make her future home, at her home, 28 West Third street last evening. A pleasing musical program was enjoyed. It included piano solos by Miss Montmorquette; vocal solos by Misses Hortense Lamire and Baril; comic song, Mr. Parker; vocal duet, Mr. and Mrs. Eloi Perrault; vocal solo, Master Arthur Walker; violin duet, Messrs. Bamber and Duclos. Dancing was enjoyed during the evening and refreshments were served by Mrs. Merrill and Mrs. H. Walker. Everyone had an enjoyable time.

PRIZE WINNERS.

The following is a list of the prize winners at the Lowell lodge whist tournament:

First prize, gentlemen, Clinton P. Tuttle, silk umbrella; first, ladies' prize, Gertrude Copeland, pair of kid gloves; gentleman's consolation prize, Albert Smith, silk necktie; ladies' consolation prize, Rachel Smith, toilet water.

INTER-CLUB GAMES.

The tournament play between the Alpines and Knights of Columbus last night resulted as follows: Pool—K. of C., 2; Alpines, 2. Whist—K. of C., 10; Alpines, 6. Forty-fives—K. of C., 9; Alpines, 7.

it is what a cough may lead to that makes it so dangerous.

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A WORD OF WARNING.—There are many white soaps, each represented to be "just as good as the 'Ivory';" they ARE NOT, but like all counterfeits, lack the peculiar and remarkable qualities of the genuine. Ask for "Ivory" Soap and insist upon getting it.

POLICIES ARE HERE

Covenant Mutual Benefit Association in Trouble

COMMISSIONERS PROD MANAGEMENT

The Association Has Business in This City

It is said that there are several hundred people in Lowell who hold policies in the Covenant Mutual Benefit association, several agents having done considerable work among the French-Americans in this city a few years ago. The association is now in trouble, as is shown in the following account taken from the Worcester Telegram.

"John E. Sullivan of Sullivan & O'Connell got after the Covenant Mutual Benefit association yesterday.

"Up to a few days ago the company had offices in State Mutual building, and William Banaghan was in charge of its Worcester business. Mr. Banaghan still has an office in the building, and does business for another insurance company.

"Mr. Sullivan told a reporter last night that he has been of the opinion for some time that the company has not conducted business as it should in Massachusetts.

"It is an assessment insurance company of the kind Gov. Roger Wolcott pronounced against in his last inaugural address.

"Yesterday, Mr. Sullivan received a letter from Frederick L. Cutting insurance commissioner of Massachusetts, to the effect that the company has not complied with the laws of Massachusetts referring particularly to chap. 229 of the act of 1899, an act relative to the domestic and foreign mutual assessment insurance, and Mr. Sullivan says that among other things, the company has not filed its reports with the commissioner, as the law requires.

"After the receipt of the letter from Commissioner Cutting, Mr. Sullivan brought two suits against the Covenant Mutual Benefit association for $1000 each.

"The plaintiffs are Mr. Sullivan and his wife, Annie T. Sullivan. Mr. Sullivan has paid into the company $167.02, and his wife $172.08. Both suits are actions of contract.

"Service was made on William Banaghan, who has represented the company in this section.

"There are 4000 policy holders in the company in Massachusetts, and in Worcester, it is said, there are several hundred.

"The company has its headquarters in Galesburg, Ill., and Mr. Sullivan says Insurance Superintendent Louis F. Payn of New York has revoked the license of the company to do business in New York.

"The writs in the suits yesterday are returnable in superior court in Worcester the first Monday of January."

A BOX PARTY.

A box party and dance was held at Highland hall last night by the M. S. C. A large crowd was in attendance, and everybody enjoyed themselves. The Excelsior orchestra furnished the music and dancing was continued to a late hour.

The officers were: General manager, E. F. Quinlan; floor director, Robert A. Dunbar; assistant floor director, Geo. A. Cole; aids, Arthur Cleveland, Prescott Perrington, F. Gilman, H. Patterson, W. Spellman.

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A SOCIAL EVENING.

The Young Men's Christian association is planning to have a fine time tonight at the first of its members' social meetings.

All of the members are expected to be present.

The ladies' auxiliary will serve a substantial New England dinner at 6.15 sharp. There will be matters of interest following the dinner and a pleasant and profitable time is assured.

Syrup of Figs, 25c. Dows' Drug Store.

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Middlesex, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of JENNIE D. McHARG, late of Lowell, in said county, deceased, intestate.

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to JOHN W. McEVOY, of Lowell, in said county, as public administrator or to some other suitable person.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said county of Middlesex, on the fifth day of December, A. D., 1899 at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petition is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week for three successive weeks in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day at least before said court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-first day of November, in the year one thousand, eight hundred and ninety-nine.

S. H. FOLSOM, Register.

Notice is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Frank Munroe, alias Frank Monroe, late of Lowell, in the County of Middlesex, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

JOHN W. McEVOY, Adm.
137 Central Street.

Lowell, Mass, Nov. 25, 1899.

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Admiral Dewey winced under the criticism directed at him by a lot of unscrupulous politicians and newspapers. The supporters of President McKinley, who feared that Dewey might become a candidate for the presidency, availed themselves of this opportunity of aiming a blow at his popularity. The admiral thought it would be a proper thing to deed the house to his son, so that it might go down as an heirloom in the Dewey family. But in order not to ignore his wife in the transfer he deeded it first to her, so as to give her the privilege of making the conveyance. There was nothing very wrong about that, but his critics and political enemies twisted it and distorted it in every possible manner to suit their purposes. For awhile the admiral shut himself up from the newspapers; but at last he was forced to come out and make a statement which had the effect of stopping the flippant tongues and scurrilous pens from heaping abuse upon him and which will go far to silence these critics in the future. Dewey, besides being a hero, is a gentleman, and it is his acts as a gentleman that his boorish critics did not understand.

The common council of Boston is apparently determined if possible to bring about a serious overhauling of the police department; but unfortunately the police department of Boston is not under control of the city council of Boston. It is a state institution, the legislature is apparently of the opinion that the city of Boston is not fit to be trusted with the management of its police department. The common council had better start an agitation for home rule. The system of policing the different cities by state authority has received some serious set backs of late. The city of Fall River can testify to its absurdity, and Boston is equally opposed to this violation of the principle of home rule. When will we have a legislature that will stand for home rule in Massachusetts cities?

Barnum's saying that the people like to be humbugged had a striking verification in the facility with which the Franklin syndicate raked in the money of greedy investors on the promise of ten per cent. weekly. Despite the obvious impossibility of paying such dividends indefinitely the money poured in until the police raided the office. The manager has skipped with millions of money belonging to poor people, who like to be humbugged. They have been humbugged to the Queen's taste in the present case by Manager Miller of the Franklin syndicate.

It is rather a strange phase of neutrality in the Transvaal war to find President McKinley protesting to President Kruger that the Americans at Pretoria are not allowed to care for the British prisoners who may need their attention. The fact that the Americans give their attention exclusively to the British and ignore the suffering Boers is ample justification for Kruger's refusal. The United States, by such a course, is not strictly observing the obligations of neutrality.

That Brave Bill Anthony should have committed suicide. Alas, the shock suffered in the destruction of the Maine must have affected his mind and finally overcome his reason. Poor Bill Anthony's words to Capt. Sigsbee will long be remembered: "Sir, I have the honor to inform you that the ship has been blown up and is sinking." Strange that a man of such coolness in an emergency could not have weathered the ills of life so as to run the natural term of his existence!

The democrats of Lowell now know their opponents. Let the work of defeating the republican candidates be well planned and effectively carried out, as it can by united action. The republican ticket is admittedly a weak one. Disunion and rivalry must be met by harmony even without the dinner. Chairman O'Connor and his lieutenants of the democratic city committee did good work in registration. Now let the vote be brought out and victory is assured.

Nothing can show more clearly the power which Richard Croker wields as leader of Tammany hall than the fact that a few of his lieutenants turned in $15,000 for the Parnell memorial fund at his mere suggestion. It is a gracious act which shows not only the power of Croker's leadership, but also the influence and generosity of the organization of which he is the head.

Gen. Otis exults in the belief that the Filipino rebellion is at an end, that the government has been disbanded. True, the Filipino army and government are badly broken up, as well they may be, after such a desperate struggle for freedom against an overwhelming foe. But they are not reduced to submission, and will be so reduced as Aguinaldo has stated only when there are no more Filipinos to kill.

Richard Croker says the trusts will be the main issue in the next presidential campaign. The trusts are simply the organized robbers that carry on their operations in defiance of the law where they cannot control the courts, legislatures and congress itself.

All the great geniuses of this country, with the exception of Edison and a few others, are engaged in devising new methods of swindling the public, counterfeiting money and playing confidence games.

The republican ticket is practically decided upon and now it is in order for Mr. Rose to provide a harmony dinner for the entire party in order to overcome the soreness among the candidates who got left.

Boardman Hall has decided not to make an exhibition of his foolishness in running for mayor of Boston with as little chance of election as a dead man.

If conferences amount to anything, the wage question now under discussion at Fall River will surely soon be settled.

The South African censor is getting in his work. Even London refuses to believe the story of the victory at Belmont.

Alderman Taylor is the only member of the present board nominated for re-election. Why?

The battleship Kentucky is all right. Would that we could say as much for the state.

HORSE JUMPED 21 FEET

IT WAS EITHER THAT OR TAKE CHANCES WITH ANGRY GRIZZLY.

Not many horses trained in steeple chasing and ridden by skilled jockeys could make a clean jump of 21 feet.

When George King, the cowboy, started out to round up a herd of cattle that were pasturing in the valleys of the Santa Ana river he invited an Indian, Juan Machado to accompany him and help him in the cattle driving. Machado was on the point of agreeing when King said jokingly; "We will take our guns along, and we might get a fat bear."

Immediately the Indian appeared to be in a state of abject terror and refused to take the trip, assuring King that the grizzly bear always overheard such threats and that hunters who announced their objects were sure to be eaten up.

Laughing at the Indian's superstition, King started on without him.

A day or two afterward he was following a lonely trail alone. The trail led through a dense thicket and was near the border of a dangerous gulch. Suddenly the path made a sharp curve and disclosed to the cowboy's sight, a monster grizzly, gnawing a newly killed yearning. Now, of all circumstances calculated to excite a grizzly the interruption of his meal is the surest. Therefore when the mounted cowboy rode almost upon him, he rushed forward with a terrifying growl.

The little horse needed no spurs, but darted onward through the brush with incredible swiftness, the angry bear following close behind. In a moment the horse and rider were on the edge of the gulch and there was no room for turning.

There was but one thing to do. King raised the bridle reins, the little horse gathered her legs under her and rafted straight through the air—and landed safely on the edge of the opposite bank.

The chasm was 21 feet across.

And the Indian said: "I told you so. I told you the bear would see you.

TEWKSBURY

Tewksbury Grange held a successful box party last evening at the town hall. Early in the evening there was a business session at which Henry M. Billings was appointed to represent the grange at the State Agricultural Institute to be held at Westfield. When the boxes were produced Auctioneer F. A. Fitzgerald mounted the platform and had no difficulty in disposing of a large collection of the boxes, the receipts from which amounted to about $17. The committee was as follows: Mr. and Mrs. Frank Trull, Mrs. S. P. Pike and Miss Lizzie Rogers.

At a recent meeting of the executive committee of the Village Improvement association, it was decided to hold "The Annual Tea" New Year's night. Special committees were appointed to provide for the supper and the entertainment.

STATIONARY FIREMEN

HELD AN OPEN MEETING LAST EVENING.

There was an open meeting of the Stationery Firemen in Building Laborers' hall on Middle street, last evening. The attendance was very large.

Mr. Lawrence Haggett of Boston addressed the meeting upon the heating of rooms from boilers. President Joseph Convery also talked interestingly. The members are arranging for another open meeting which will be held on the afternoon of Sunday, December 3.

LOWELL WOMAN SPOKE.

A session of the Massachusetts diocesan organization of the Girls' Friendly societies was held Thursday evening at Tremont Temple, Boston. The principal subject of discussion was "Some of Women's Opportunities," which was treated in several different branches. Miss Angela Bennett of St. Anne's church, this city was one of the speakers who viewed the subject in a domestic sense.

A son has been born to Mr. and Mrs. J. Syme Hastings of Washington, D. C.

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Facts and Fiction

Experiences of Lowell Citizens Are Easily Proven to be Facts. Outside Testimony is Apt to Savor of Romance.

The most superficial investigation will prove that the following statement from a resident of Lowell is true. Read it and compare evidence from Lowell along with testimony from outside places, published side by side with this in the columns of this paper. Investigate still further and you will be surprised at the number of people in Lowell who re-echo what this citizen says:

Mrs. Terrance Flood of 39 Davidson street says: "A severe attack of pneumonia left me suffering from kidney ailment which was manifested by pains in my back. I heard about the merits of Doan's Kidney Pills, and went to Ellingwood & Co.'s drug store, corner of Merrimack and Central streets and got a box. Its use proved so beneficial I continued the treatment until I had taken 4 boxes, when I felt so well I did not consider further use of Doan's Kidney Pills or any other remedy necessary. I value this preparation so highly that I am pleased to recommend it to others."

EIGHT-HOUR DAY

FOR CITY EMPLOYES DISCUSSED BY SPINNERS' UNION.

The regular meeting of the Spinners' union was held last night in their hall on Middle street and there was a large attendance. The delegation to the Textile Council submitted a report of the situation upon the proposed increase in wages. The report was accepted. The proposed eight hour law for employes of the city departments which is to come before the voters at the city election was discussed at length every member pledging himself to not only vote in favor of the law but to also use his influence with his friends.

BILLERICA NEWS

A chicken pie supper and entertainment were held in the vestry of the Baptist church of North Billerica last night and attracted a large crowd.

The arrangements were under the charge of the Ladies' Aid society who were assisted by the young men of the society. An excellent supper was served from 6.30 to 8 o'clock, followed by a very interesting program as follows: Phonographic selection by H. G. Sheldon; song, Mrs. Nettie Spaulding, "You Can't Forget the Old Love;" reading, Mr. R. T. Perry, "Sewing on a Button;" phonographic selection; bass solo, Mr. George Durston; recitation, "Blair, the Regular," Joseph Ellis; song, "Two Sisters," Mr. Herbert Ellis; harmonica trio, introducing popular songs with variations by Messrs. Arthur, William and Charles Butterfield; recitation, "Dot Drummer," by Mr. George Perry; Mr. Thomas Bateson, accompanist. Considerable amusement was derived from the recitations of Messrs. R. T. Perry and Joseph Ellis, as each had stumped the other to speak.

Following are the various committees: General manager, George Perry, assisted by George Colson Thomas Ellis, Louis Perry, Austin Supples, George Forbes, George Holden, Oliver Durrol, Fred Custy, George Dyson.

The following ladies had charge of the supper: Mrs. Perry, Mrs. Holt, Miss Coffee, Mrs. Colson, Mrs. Done, Mrs. Trefy, Mrs. Sheldon, Mrs. Lord, Mrs. Scott and Mrs. Clegg.

LEASE RATIFIED

BY DIRECTORS AND STOCKHOLDERS OF LOWELL & SUBURBAN.

At a meeting of the directors and stockholders of the Lowell and Suburban Street Railway company, the lease of that road to the Lowell, Lawrence and Haverhill Street Railway company was unanimously approved and ratified. The lease is for a term of 25 years, on a graded dividend basis. This completes the action by which the Lowell & Suburban is controlled by the Massachusetts Electric company.

NORTH CHELMSFORD

The Clipper Social club of North Chelmsford managed a successful dance at the town hall last night. A delightful concert was given during the early part of the evening by the North Chelmsford orchestra and at 9 o'clock the dancing began and continued until 12 o'clock. Those who had charge of the affair were: General manager, Clarence Thompson; assistant general manager, Alphonse Magnant; floor director, Fred Lester; assistant floor director, Thomas McTavue; aids, John Morning, Thomas Tole, Joseph Crowley, John J. Gray, Walter Flinth, Thomas Larkin, John Curry; reception committee, Walter Monk, James J. Burrett, John J. O'Connell, James McTague.

THE LUDWIG CONCERT.

Associate Hall undoubtedly will be packed on Sunday evening when William Ludwig and his concert company will appear here in a beautiful program of Irish music. The lamented John Boyle O'Reilly in reporting a Ludwig concert for the Boston Pilot some years ago, said:

"What is the supreme test of Irish music for the normal Irishman? The thoughtful observer of the great audience which filled Boston theatre last Sunday night for the fourth of the Ludwig concerts has but one answer. Irish music is loved and prized by the Irish chiefly as it is the voice of Irish passion for Nationhood; and the great singer who has been delighting American audiences in these parts would have had but a temporary welcome if his genius were not matched by his devotion to the national cause.

Mr. Ludwig and his brilliant company gave a new and varied program, ranging in one line, from the pensive beauty of "Oft in the Stilly Night," to the delightful drollery of "Kitty of Coleraine." But while these were gladly welcomed and heartily recalled, it was only the national songs that drew out the deepest enthusiasm of the audience. One bar of the "Wearing of the Green," or "O'Donnell Abu," one strain of the cherished "treason" ballads of '98 sets the Irish blood all ablaze. Irish music has its message to all men as a revelation of the constancy and self-surrender unmatched since the world began with which the ideal of freedom has been worshipped in Ireland.

William Ludwig is doing a further work in which he should have encouragement from all Americans of Irish blood, in making known in America the varied range and technical perfection of Irish music. Germany knows it. Haydn and Handel paid enthusiastic tribute to the refined beauty of the Irish melodies and the music to which Moore set the "Last Rose of Summer," made the fortune of Flotow's opera, "Martha." Music lovers in America will not be slow in their recognition of Irish music now that it has found such an exponent as Mr. Ludwig. He ought to give his Irish concerts in every city in America and for pride in their national heritage, Irish-Americans should see that he does it."

"BILL" NEVILLE.

Bill Neville, the popular basket ball player and formerly of the champion Burkes will play at Milford tonight with the Milford State League team against the champion Hudsons. Neville was recently let go by Manager Redmond of the Burkes, so Manager Trask of Milford signed him to play. Neville is classed among the best guards in the state. In tonight's game he will play his old position and will make his opponent, no matter who he is, hustle to lose him.

PAPER COLLARS

That Were Used in the Early Days

THE CHINESE AND THEIR LAUNDRIES

The Number of Foreigners in the City

I was in Putnam Son's clothing establishment the other evening and I saw a man making a purchase, that, to me, seemed very much out of the usual. That was, the customer had just purchased a box of paper collars and cuffs. This brought my mind back to a time when paper collars was about the only thing in ordinary use for men. But that was a long time ago.

The first paper collars were made, some where where early in the sixties, and they were purely and simply a paper collar. They looked very neat on a person's neck, but they were rather a dangerous thing to attempt to wear to a ball or a party where a person was apt to exercise much, as the least perspiration would cause them to break at the buttonhole, so that a person was almost invaribly obliged to carry one collar in his pocket, as well as one on his neck to provide for emergency.

A little later on some genius made a collar that had a covering of linen, which made a good substitute for the genuine linen collar. But even that grade seemed to pass out of existence as a common or popular collar and the linen collar was substituted. These collars used to retail ten in a box costing from eighteen to twenty-five cents. The cuffs cost fifty cents.

One of the clerks told me that in the days when paper collars were almost exclusively worn, it was no unusual occurrence for them to sell two or three hundred boxes on a Saturday, where they would not probably sell that many in a year now.

Another thing that seems remarkably funny is that that they went so far in the manufacturing of these goods for gentlemen that they not only made paper collars in various styles, but also cuffs and bosoms. He surprised me somewhat when he told me that at one time they had actually placed on the market a shirt made entirely of paper.

It struck me that this must have been a kind of a fair weather outfit for I imagined I could see the man's finish if he got caught in a rain storm.

Occasionally a wag would bring them into a Chinese laundry to get them laundered, unnecessary to say that when called for them a few days that when he called for them a few days later he might have the "checkee" but he could not get his "shirtee" for the shirts had melted away in the process of washing.

Celluloid shirts, cuffs and bosoms later came into the market and have always met with a fair sale, they being very durable and if a person is not too particular about his linen, he could economize greatly in the wearing of the furnishings made of this material.

Speaking of collars and cuffs brings to my mind our laundries. I can distinctly remember when in our city there was not a single established laundry here, the nearest thing being a sign hung out on the edge of a building or over a door, where Mrs. So and So took in washing and ironing. The first steam laundry that I can remember was known as the Troy laundry which is in existence today: and hundreds of our citizens sent their laundry to Troy, N. Y. I believe that Joseph White, the clothing and furnishing dealer, who some years ago did business in this city, was the first to establish an agency for the Troy laundry people. Shortly after this agency being established, a Chinese laundry firm opened up a place on Merrimack street, near the corner of Maiden Lane, about the sixties. They at that time, seemed to be the only persons doing laundry work that could get that high finished gloss or polish on our linens and the result was that they did quite a profitable business. Shortly after their establishing, several other Chinamen came to this city and established laundries, giving their exclusive attention to this industry.

These Mongolians must certainly be credited with being the most industrious, the quietest and most inoffensive class in our city. The wonder to most most people's minds is when do these people ever rest, for they are the first up in the morning, and in this city like any other are always the last to finish their work. They are surely the most exclusive class of people that can be found, hardly ever associating with anyone but one of their own nationality.

I happened to drop into a laundry on John street the other day and there I met a very fine looking specimen of the Mongolian race and he was reading a newspaper that was printed in Hong Kong and it certainly looked fun funny to me, for the characters were like columns of figures running up and down the page, with no space lines designating the columns as in our local papers. I was surprised when he told me that they had no alphabet for spelling out their words, that each character represented a word in itself and in that way none of them was obliged to learn the alphabet.

I asked him what the paper was called and he told me but I could not remember it much longer than while he was naming it. I also asked him the character of news found in this paper and he said that it was a religious paper and that he was a subscriber.

He told me that it was a paper which was published semi-monthly and costs one dollar and fifty cents a year in our money. I found that he was a very interesting person to talk with and that he spoke the English language very fluently. His countenance would indicate that he was above the ordinary Chinaman in intellect. He told me that he had resided in this country for the last fifteen years and that he had lived the greater portion of that time in California and New York and was a resident of our city for seven years. I was much surprised to think that these people who emigrated to this city more than thirty years ago had not reached a total of one hundred inhabitants, as strictly speaking there are only eighty-six of them in Lowell, this being the greatest number that we have ever had.

The honors in point of numbers is about evenly divided between our colored residents and the Chinamen, for they, like the Chinese, do not seem to increase their numbers. There are not today as many colored people living in Lowell as there were forty years ago, and this fact is all the more remarkable when we stop to consider how rapidly the composition of our population is changing by the influx of new foreign elements from Europe, such as the Greeks, Poles, Armenians, Turks and Italians, and it would not take a man to be a very great prophet to predict that in twenty years these people will be numerous enough in our city to hold the balance of power if not to be the dictators of what shall be the policy of our city. They are liable to control our institutions: but I suppose that these are all privileges vouchsafed to people in a free country. Whether they will be an improvement over what we have already enjoyed is a question that only time can determine, but these conditions are facts that cannot be disputed and whether for good or evil they will certainly take place.

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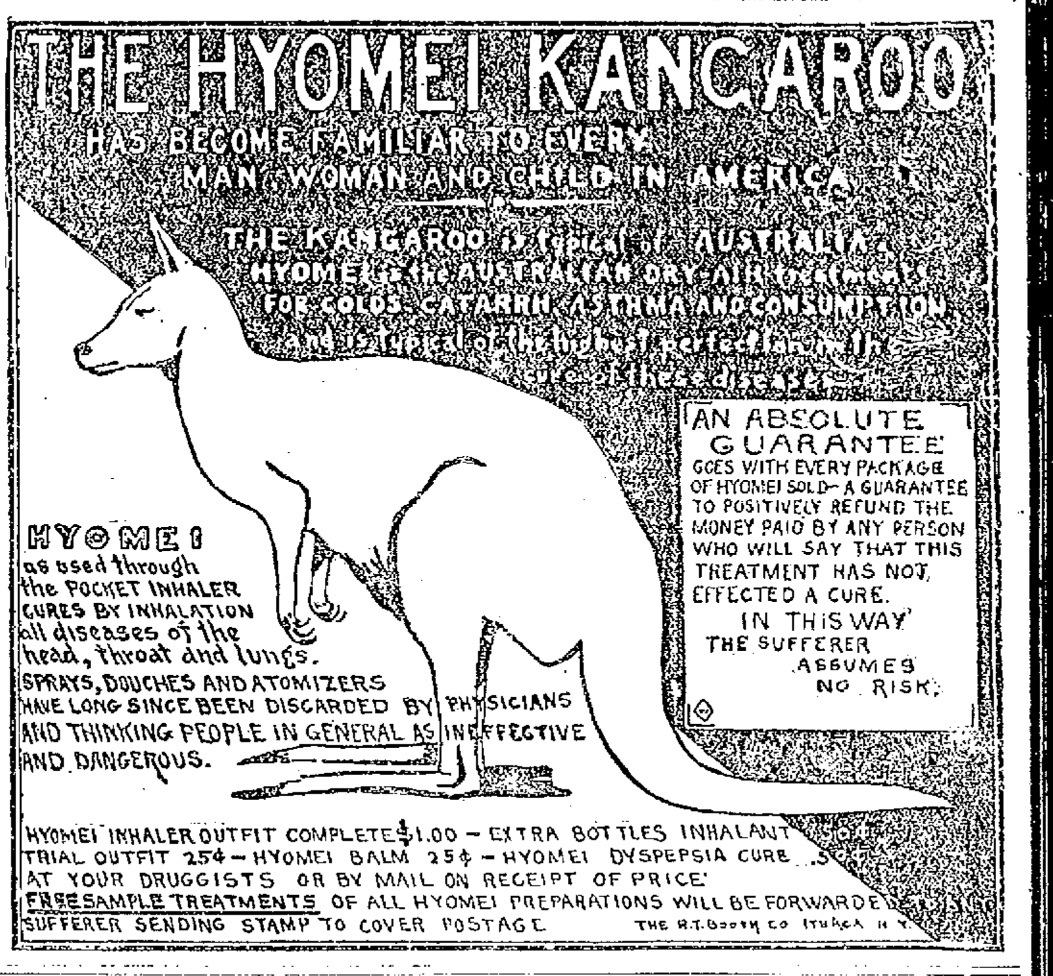

THE DRAMA

GOSSIP OF THE STAGE AND ITS STARS.

Mrs. Sara Cowell LeMoyne, wife of the well known actor, Mr. W. J. Le Moyne, and herself celebrated as a dramatic reader, as well as an artistic interpreter of some of the most difficult roles of recent dramas, will make her appearance as a star early in the new-year, on a new society drama, written especially for her by Mrs. Henry C. McMille, widow of the well-known playwright, and Miss Harriet Ford. The new comedy will be called "The Greatest Thing in the World," and will have its first production early in January. Mrs. Le Moyne is well known in Boston. She made her debut at the Union Square theatre, New York, when a girl, and was for three years the youngest member of A. M. Palmer's stock company. Then Mr. Palmer wanted to cast her for an old woman's role and she resigned from the company. She immediately started on her career as a dramatic reader, and soon won fame and popularity both in this country and England. Mrs. Le Moyne made her re-appearance as an actress in Clyde Fitch's play, "The Moth and the Flame," in which she made a great hit as the giddy widow, Mrs. Lorimer. Last season she originated the Duchess in "Catherine," and her performance was one of the most notable features of that play.

"The glorious part of Henry Irving's career," said Stuart Robson one day, "is that as he has advanced himself he has brought the profession up with him. Here in America people don't realize what prejudices theatrical folk of England had to contend with, but now the actor stands with the best of them. He has his place in society, just the same as any other artist, and Henry Irving has done most of the work that has brought this about."

For a number of years it was known that the queen was ready to recognize the great talent of the first English-speaking actors and to express the sense of gratitude the nation felt to him for what he had done for theatrical production by conferring on him the title. Irving's friends in the literary and social world were anxious that he should be knighted, but he frequently expressed in conversation, his opinion, which, of course, reached what are ambiguously called royal ears, that he did not desire the honor. It was not until the members of his own profession, headed by Chas. Wyndham, went to him and told him that they desired to see him knighted that he consented.

"You must, Irving, for the good of the cause," Wyndham is reported to have said, "you have carried your profession up to the point where one of its members is considered worthy of knighthood. Your own work in this direction will not be completed until you have accepted this honor, which is an honor to us all." The year after this, among the birthday announcements, was Henry Broderibb Irving.—Ainslee's Magazine for December.

Josef Kainz, who is considered the greatest German Hamlet of the day, has just acted the role at the Hofburg in Vienna, to which he has gone from Berlin. Sarah Bernhardt and Adele Sandrock attempted the part shortly afterward. This was too much for Herr Kainz, who was unable to keep from relieving his mind on the subject. "Hamlet is a man," he wrote, "and only men can play Hamlet. A woman cannot conceive what the character is. In the part there is what I might call the eternal masculine. Rather should a woman play Claudius or one of the courtiers. The subject is too serious to make a puppet out of Hamlet. Hamlet, who wanted to get away from women, played by a woman—what an idea! That is a comedy in a comedy. The part should not be degraded to mere costume role. My opinion is that only a Shakespeare who could write a 'Hamlet' could play the part of the hero well. But where is there a Shakespeare among the actors today?"

"The greatest marked development in the theatre in the last 25 years," said Sir Henry Irving slowly, and in that strikingly measured manner, "is that it is no longer necessary to vindicate the stage. There was a time when it was. Another great change, and which has helped the actor immensely, is the growth in the number of strong, honest and capable critics. The actor must have publicity and honest criticism, and, in proportion as he gets that, the necessity for 'vindication,' ceases. He then takes his place according to his merit, that is, he takes his place in his time. But an actor is never sure what another time will think of him. An actor's rewards are peculiar. I think it was Mr. Archer who said that beautiful pictures, statues and fine buildings, no matter how much you admire them, never cause you to throw up your hat or applaud very vigorously. In walking through an art collection you simply make a pencil mark alongside of the pictures that please you. The methods of expressing approval of acting are stronger, but the thing that produces the approval has passed away with its creation!"—Ainslee's for December.

The withdrawal of Tyrone Power from Mrs. Fiske's company, playing "Becky Sharp" at the Fifth Avenue theatre, was due to the fact that he had made a year's engagement with James Williamson of Australia to play leading parts. He also made arrangements for the appearance in the same companies of his wife, Miss Edith Crane.

Howard Malcom Ticknor of Boston, at the close of a lecture at San Francisco, made some sharp comment on the theatrical syndicate. So great has been the feeling against it, he said, that several of the prominent actors and actresses in the east, are discussing a a plan to cut loose from the trust, organize a company of their own and appeal to the public for patronage, even though they are not able to mount plays as the syndicate mounts them.

Klaw & Erlanger and B. D. Stevens' extravaganza, "Chris and the Wonderful Lamp," will begin an engagement at the Boston Museum Monday evening, Dec. 4th. The music is by the famous John Philip Sousa, the leader of Sousa's band. "The March King." The book is by Glen MacDonough. The foundation of the story is the Arabian Nights' romance of Aladdin, the magic lamp and the Genii, brought up to date. Edna Wallace Hopper, the petite comedienne, the Aladdin of today, and Jerome Sykes the Twentieth Century Genie. The company numbers 120 people, including John Page, the acrobatic comedian, Mabelle Baker, Charles H. Drew, Ethel Irene Stewart, Nellie Lynch, Randolph Curry, and Emilie Beaupre. The songs introduced have made hits, especially "In Poster-land," "I'm a Hightoned Genie," "The Hump-backed Whale," "The Lay of the Mechanical Doll," and "The College of Hoop-de-doo. Sousa's latest march, "The Man Behind the Gun," creates a sensation when interpreted at the end of the second act.

E. H. Sothern purposes appearing as Hamlet to Miss Virginia Harned's Ophelia at Daly's New York, the first week of next May.

Stuart Robson has engaged Miss Florence Rockwell as leading woman for his coming production of "Oliver Goldsmith." Walton Hale is to fill the role of Ned Burke.

KENDRICK'S DEATH

JUDGE STONE FINDS WAS DUE TO HIS OVER CARELESSNESS.

Judge Stone of Lawrence has submitted the following report on the inquest in regard to the death of Jabez C. Kendrick:

COMMONWEALTH OF MASS.

Essex ss.

Police Court of Lawrence.

On the 8th day of November, 1899, I held an inquest in relation to the death of Jabez C. Kendrick, who was killed upon the tracks of the Lowell, Lawrence & Haverhill street railway company, on the 24th day of October, 1899, and find and report as follows:

Kendrick was found on Lowell street about five minutes past 7 upon the evening of October 24th, lying on the tracks of said railway; he was pulled off of said track just before the car went by. He then started up Lowell street toward the corner of Milton street, and boarded a car bound for Lowell at the corner of Milton street, at about 10 minutes past 7; he rode upon that car to a point about three or four hundred yards easterly from where the tracks leave the highway to go through private land when he left that car and started to walk back toward Lawrence. Nothing further was seen of him until the motorman upon the next car from Lowell to Lawrence, discovered him lying at full length between the rails of the track upon which he was running, his feet being towards the approaching car. He was some hundred of yards towards Lowell from the place where he had left the car upon which he had just been riding. It was a dark and foggy night. The motorman did everything that lay in his power to do to stop his car after he observed Kendrick lying between the tracks, but was unable to do so until a portion of his car had run over Kendrick's body, and produced injuries from which he died in about an hour.

I find that his death was the result of his own careless acts and that the Lowell, Lawrence & Haverhill street railway are in no way to blame for the accident which produced his death.

(Signed ANDREW C. STONE,
Justice of the Police Court of Lawrence.

FIRST ASSEMBLY

BY WEAVERS' UNION HELD LAST NIGHT.

The Weavers' Union held its first grand assembly at Associate hall last night and about 100 couples attended.

There were 20 numbers on the program and dancing began at 8.30 and was enjoyed till 12. Music was furnished by Hibbard's orchestra of four pieces. The officers in charge were: General manager, James J. Conroy; assistant general manager, Miss May E. Rovers; floor director, John Walsh; assistant floor director, Thomas O'Hearn; James Mylott, treasurer; Miss Annie Logan, financial secretary; aids, Wm. H. Bakewell; chief aids, Frank LeClair, Jr., Wm. J. Kinsella, James Long, Edmund LeClair, Alphonse Robilles, Patrick Myers, P. J. Burns, F. Mullen, Harry Starr; reception committee, Thomas F. Connolly, chairman; Miss Ella Martin, Miss May Jennings, Miss Annie McMullen, Miss Davis, Mrs. Katie Rowbottom, Miss Keith, Miss Lizzie Bannon, Miss Delia Connolly, Miss Katie Morris, Miss Hackett, Miss Downs, Miss Mary McAleer, Miss Maggie McAleer, Miss Maggie McGuire, Miss Lizzie Northrop, Miss Dora Farrell.

BASKET BALL.

Monday night the Company C team and the Knickerbockers will play at Urban hall and a fine game is expected.

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LAWYERS TO JAIL

Philadelphia Men Convicted of Attempted Bribery

OF SECRET SERVICE DETECTIVE

In Connection With Counterfeiting Conspiracy

By Associated Press to The Sun.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 24—Ellery P. Ingham, ex-United States district attorney, and his law partner and former assistant, Harvey K. Newitt, were sentenced today by Judge McPherson to imprisonment for two years and six months and to pay a fine of $1 and the costs of their trial for conspiracy in attempting to bribe a secret service detective in connection with the recent big revenue stamp counterfeiting conspiracy.

DIAMOND PIN

VALUED AT $100 FOUND IN A TURKEY.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

PASAIC, N. J., Nov. 24.—Every one is eating turkey.

All the specimens of national poultry in town were sold off last night at an advance of two cents a pound. Yesterday there were heavy turkey shipments from New York, and no one would cook anything else for dinner.

The demand for the gobblers is due to the fact that Hyman Richmond of seconds treet, a butcher, found a turkey diamond mine.

He bought a crate of the birds in Fulton Market, and gave one of them to his wife to cook. She killed it and on performing the autopsy was pleased to find in the stomach a fine diamond pin.

Jeweler Rubatsky of Second street said the pin was worth $100, and offered $80 for it.

How the bird obtained the pin is of course not known, but it is suspected that it "burglarized" a jeweler's store. It was reported that the turkey once belonged to a Newark diamond merchant.

When the news of the find got out, a rush was made for the crate of turkeys. They were ruthlessly slaughtered, smelted, analyzed and assayed, but they consisted simply of turkey and nothing else.

Before the massacre speculators offered $25 each for the turkeys, believing a runor that in the express car in which they went to Passaic was a barrel of the jewelry consigned to a Paterson firm which they had broken into and devoured.

A Pasaic natural history expert says that turkeys have some of the characteristics of magpies and steal diamonds

DUKE OF MANCHESTER

DECLINES TO GO ON THE STAGE.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW YORK, Nov. 24- The Duke of Manchester will not follow in the stageward footsteps of his fellow peer, the Earl of Yarmouth, as has ben recently reported

His decision was made on Monday, when he received an offer from Nat C. Goodwin to play the "heavy villain," part in "The Lady and the Cowboy," at a self-selected salary.

The young nobleman declined the offer, and said that his only dramatic aspirations were amateur and not professional.

Mr. Goodwin and his wife, Maxine Elliott were the Duke's guests last summer in Ireland.

WILL STRIKE

RAILWAY MEN WANT THEIR DEMANDS GRANTED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

DETROIT, Mich., Nov. 24—After a meeting lasting four hours, the street railway employes of this city, decided to strike within 48 hours unless the Citizens 'Railway company acceeds to certain demands which will be presented today. The demands include the reinstatement of certain discharged employes and adjustment of differences with regard to the crews of suburban cars running into the city.

BANK ROBBED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

JANESVILLE, Wis., Nov. 24.—The bank of Milton, at Milton, three miles north of this city, was entered by burglars Wednesday night, the vault broken open and $900 in cash, $10 in revenue stamps, and $1,720 in coupon government bonds were taken.

TRIED HANGING

BUT ROPE BROKE AND CALLAHAN WAS FATALLY INJURED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

SALEM, Mass., Nov. 24.—A man who was arrested for drunkenness last night and when when lodged in the city lock-up, gave his name as Daniel Callahan, attempted to commit suicide by hanging in his cell early this morning. The man tied his pocket handkerchief around his neck and attached the other end to the grating of the cell door. When his weight was thrown upon the handkerchief it broke and Callahan fell heavily to the stone floor, striking upon the back of his head. The sound of the fall attracted the night watchman who summoned medical aid, but the man died two hours later at 7.30 o'clock.

The night watchman says he was talking with Callahan not more than 10 minutes before he heard the fall. The man seemed perfectly sober and apparently had no intention of committing suicide.

BIG FIRE

STOREHOUSE IN KEENE DESTROYED THIS MORNING.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

KEENE, N. H., Nov. 24.—The dry-house and storehouse of the Beaver Woodenware factory here, was burned early this morning together with a large quantity of machinery and stock. The storehouse was a large, two-story wooden building and contained four hundred cords of staves and a large number of finished pails. The firemen worked for over an hour and with difficulty saved the main buildings of the plant. The fire deprives sixty men of work until the buildings can be restored.

The fire caught from the apparatus in the drying house. Loss estimated $12,000; insurance only $5,000.

PROBABLY DROWNED

GALLAGHER'S BICYCLE FOUND ON BANK OF RESERVOIR.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BROCKTON, Mass., Nov. 24.—John E. Gallagher, charged with the shooting of McMahon at Taunton, is believed to have drowned himself in the Brockton reservoir at Avon. His bicycle has been found on the bank and people who saw the man have identified him. Officers are searching for the body.

KENTUCKY'S TRIAL

Her First Laps Behind the Kearsarge's

TIDE AND WIND AGAINST HER

Good Time Expected on Return Trip

By Associated Press to The Sun.

ROCKPORT, Mass., Nov. 24.—The new battleship Kentucky started on her official speed trial at 10:26:05, this forenoon, over the regular course off here. The weather conditions were ideal and notwithstanding the fear of old salts that something would go wrong on account of the day chosen for the run, the speed conditions could hardly be improved upon.

The Kentucky was first seen about 8 o'clock. Slowly she came down the coast until she reached a point about a mile from the starting line, when she increased her speed and made her course for the first mark boat, the government tug Piscataqua.

There was a heavy ground swell, the few sailing craft in sight pitching and tossing about, but it did not appear to have much effect upon the great warship. The off-shore wind tended to lessen the swell gradually.

The Kentucky crossed the line at 9:17:10, but it was noticed by the observers on shore that no speed flag was hoisted. She kept on for a half mile and then the wheel was thrown over suddenly, the ship heading out to sea. About 10 minutes were spent in cutting circles. The vessel was started once more towards the open sea, and a long circle was described. At this time the forced draught was applied and the engineers laid their plans to store up steam for the long run over the course. Her head was finally pointed toward Boston Light. For 15 minutes she kept on this course and then turned, heading directly for the Piscataqua on the starting line. As she neared the starting point her speed was gradually increased; the combination of a forced draught and the soft coal sending great volumes of dense, black smoke out of her two enormous buff-colored funnels. As she neared her limit of speed her great bow tore through the water and whenever the battleship would slightly bend to some great swell of the sea, her mighty momentum would toss it upward on the sides into foamy sprays which completely enveloped her forward deck. Quickly she came down to the line and at 10:26:05 the speed flag was run up and with a sharp blow of the whistle, the Kentucky was off.

Never on a trial trip off here have the builders of a battleship been favored with a clearer view of the course than was the case today. Straight as an arrow, the vessel ran for the first mark boat, the battleship Texas, which was passed at 10:51:30. Twenty-five minutes twenty-five seconds had thus elapsed during which the vessel had made 6.8 miles, showing a speed of 15.57 knots per hour. This time was considered slow in comparison with the run of the Kentucky's sistership, the Kearsarge over the same part of the course The Kearsarge covered the distance in 32 minutes 3 seconds a speed of 17.59 knots.

As the Kentucky sped by the Texas she appeared to be gaining. Thick smoke came thicker and blacker and the spray from the waves was thrown higher into the air. On she rushed and twenty-four minutes and forty seconds later, or at 11:06:10, she was abreast of the second mark-boat, the Lighthouse tender Mayflower. Over this distance she showed a speed of 16.65 against 17.59 made by the Kearsarge. The tide and wind were both against the Kentucky on this run. It was predicted that on the return she would show better speed as the wind and tide favors her. At 11.48 she was hull down on the horizon, her position being indicated only by her huge smoke trail.

A few minutes after 1 o'clock, the battleship was seen returning and at 1:51:40 she passed the Mayflower, 13.2 knots from the finish. When the time was taken as the vessel passed the Mayflower, it showed she had been steaming three hours, twenty-five minutes and forty seconds since the start. By deducting the time consumed in turning, estimated at 21 minutes the estimated actual time up to this mark is 3:01:40, which would indicate an average speed of 17.15 knots. This made it practically certain that the speed of the Kearsarge would be outdone.

The Kentucky passed the Texas at 2:18:05, and at 2:42:20 she crossed the finish line, the last leg showing a speed of 16.21 knots. The total elapsed time since starting was 4:16:30. Deducting 21 minutes, the estimated time of the turn, the actual time of the run was 3:55:30, giving an average speed of 16.81 knots per hour. The last two legs were apparently slow, and cut down the average for the entire run somewhat.

Mr. William Ludwig, the famous Irish baritone, will sing at the 10.30 o'clock mass at St. Patrick's church, Sunday morning

A BIG BLUNDER

Republican Ward Nominations Invalidated

PAPERS WERE NOT FILED IN TIME

Must Now File Independent Nomination Papers

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LAWRENCE, Nov. 24.- Talleyrand said a blunder was worse than a crime. All the republican candidates nominated by Thursday's caucuses are willing to agree that the French statesman hit the nail plumb on the head.

For all of the ward nominations made at Thursday's republican caucuses are invalid by reason of the failure on the part of the caucus officials to file the requisite papers with the city clerk according to law. If their names go on the ballot at all, it can only be as independents, not as republicans.

The candidates affected are those for common council and overseers of the poor.

In each ward last night the candidates were hustling for the requisite 50 signatures to allow of their names going on the ballot at all.

The law requires that the chairman and secretary shall file within 72 hours of the time of holding the caucus, the proper paper with the city clerk. This was not done until Wednesday, when the time had expired.

Secretary Stuart of the city committee had his attention called to the matter on Monday by City Clerk Corcoran and endeavored to remedy, as far as lay in his power, the anomalous situation created. Papers were filed on Wednesday with the signatures of the caucus officers attached. These papers, even though belated will be legal, except in one contingency, which is UNLESS BEFORE NEXT TUESDAY OBJECTIONS ARE FILED BY TWO VOTERS, who may be of ANY POLITICAL PARTY.

That contingency is likely to be availed of by some of the democrats.

Therefore to provide against this contingency, it will be necessary for each candidate nominated by the ward caucuses to secure 50 signatures in their ward as independent candidates and file them with the city clerk before 6 o'clock tonight, the earlier the better, in order that he signatures may be verified.

The candidates nominated at the convention Monday night are not affected, because their papers were properly filed in due season by the clerk of the convention.

As the names will ultimately go on the ballot as "INDEPENDENTS" no party designations being allowed with candidates running on nomination papers, the outcome, it is feared, will be detrimental to republican control of the city government, for it will be confusing to the voters who are accustomed to following the party designations and is likely to result in serious loss of votes—how far-reaching can only be surmised. It is a fact, though sufficient to cause forebodings to the staunest republican.

The candidates who will have to file independent papers are these:

Councilmen:

Ward one—Emil J. Muehlig, Robert T. Price, John Spinlow.

Ward two—Thomas Barker, John P. Gaudes, Harry Watts.

Ward three—William P. White.

Ward four—Joseph Donovan, Fred O. Richardson, Henri A. Poutsiac.

Ward five—Charles H. Choate, Albert Evans, Frank Smith.

Ward six—Francis A. Hatland, Harmon T. Drew, John Walker, Jr.

For school committee:

Ward one—Frank L. Porter, Fred H. Eaton.

For overseers of the poor:

Ward five—George Collins.

Ward six—Mark Manahan.

INSTANTLY KILLED

BRAKEMAN CRUSHED UNDER WHEELS OF AN ENGINE.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

PORTLAND, Me., Nov. 24.—Clarence E. Farfon, a Maine Central brakeman, turned the switch at Cumberland mills this morning at 3 o'clock and then attempted to step on the front of a shifting engine as it went by. He missed his footing and fell head foremost under the wheels. His head was crushed to pulp and death was instantaneous. He had been employed by the road four years and belonged in Bartlett, N. H. He was 24 years old and unmarried.

PRISONERS CREMATED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

JELLICO, Tenn., Nov. 24.—Granville Neil and John Sprouls, who were arrested for drunkenness last night were cremated in a fire which destroyed the jail and several buildings near it this morning.

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HUMMEL ARRESTED

CHARGED WITH SLAUGHTER OF WIFE AND CHILDREN.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WILLIAMSPORT, Pa., Nov. 24.—William Hummel, charged with the slaughter of his wife and three step-children, three of whose bodies were found under a straw stack last night, was arrested today. When approached by the officers and before he was notified that they were after him, he shouted "Not guilty." When shown the bodies of his victims, he identified their identity and insisted that they were still alive.

AGED COUPLE TORTURED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

CUMBERLAND, Md., Nov. 24.—Joseph Earl, aged 85 years and his wife, over 80 years, were tortured and robbed at Glencoe, early yesterday morning by a band of masked men. The old people were cruelly beaten and the soles of their feet were burned with torches before they would make known the hiding place of their money. The culprits obtained over $500. Earl and his wife are in a precarious condition.

TOWN WASHED AWAY.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Nov. 24.—A Star special from San Antonio, Tex., says a portion of the town of Cotulla, 60 miles west, was washed away by a cloudburst early this morning. A merchant named Walker with his wife was drowned.

EXPOSURE AND ALCOHOLISM.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BRISTOL, R. I., Nov. 24.—Coroner Spooner, who inquired into the circumstances attending the death of Herman Glattfelt, an inmate of the national soldiers' home, here, today forwarded his report to the attorney general. The finding of the coroner is that the soldier came to his death through exposure and alcoholism.

NEW CORPORATIONS.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

TRENTON, N. J., Nov. 24.—Among the incorporations here today were the following:

Consolidated Paper Manufacturing company, capital $2,000,000, to manufacture paper, paper materials and paper substitutes.

The Full River Bleachery company, capital $600,000, organized to bleach, dye and print textile fabrics.

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WINTER ARRANGEMENT.

In effect, October 2, 1899. Trains leave Merrimack street depot, Lowell, as follows:

For Boston, 6.43, 6.25, c6.42, *7.45, *8.55, c9.45, *9.15, 11.00 a. m.; 1.10, (3.00), 4.25, (5.41 p. m.

SUNDAYS, 8.45 a. m.

Trains leave Middlesex street station Lowell, as follows:

For Boston, 5.46, 6.28, c6.45, w6.53, 7.01, *7.05, 7.25, 7.31, *7.45, w7.50, *8.50, c8.50, w8.55, *9.50, w10.00, 11.03, *11.42 a. m.; w12.05, 12.35, w12.45, 1.14, w2.25, c2.35, w3.10, c3.10, w3.55, 4.38, w5.15, 6.22, c6.30, w5.45, *6.22, 7.00, *7.10, w7.50 p. m.

SUNDAYS, 7.00, 7.25, w8.42, 8.49, 9.13 a. m., w12.05, w4.05, 4.38, w5.35, 5.53, w7.25, 9. m.

For Lawrence, 6.25, w6.50, x7.31, w8.20, w9.05, 10.05, w10.50 a. m.; w12.05, w12.35, w1.15, w3.45, w5.15, w6.15, w7.10, w9.25, w10.25 p. m.

SUNDAYS, w8.15 a. m.; w12.05, w5.50, w7.25 p. m.

For Haverhill, 6.25, 6.50, x7.31, 8.20, 9.25, 10.50 a. m., 12.05, 2.30, w3.55, w5.10, 5.15, 7.00, 9.25, b11.25 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.25 p. m.; 12.05, 5.25, 7.25 p. m.

For Newburyport, Amesbury and Portsmouth, 6.25 a. m.; 12.05, 2.30, 3.55, 5.15 p. m.

For Exeter and Dover, 6.25, x7.31, 8.20, a. m.; 12.05, 2.30, 3.55, 5.15 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.55 p. m.

For Rochester and Alton Bay, 2.30 a. m.; 12.05, 3.55 p. m.

For Somersworth, N. H., Saco, Old Orchard and Portland, 6.25, x7.31, 8.20 a. m.; 12.05, 3.55 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.20 p. m. for Somersworth and Portland.

For Augusta, Bath, Waterville, 6.25, 8.20, a. m.; 12.05, 5.15 p. m. SUNDAYS, 9.47 p. m.

For Lewiston, 6.25, 8.20, a. m.; 12.05, 5.15, m.

For Skowhegan, 8.20 a. m.

For Bangor, Belfast, and Rockland, 8.20 a. m.; 5.15 p. m., ex. Saturday for Belfast and Rockland. SUNDAYS, 5.20 p. m.

For St. John's, N. B., Halifax, N. S., Montreal and Quebec, 5.15 p. m. (6.15 daily and connect Saturdays.) SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Eastport and St. John (via steamer from Portland), on (Mondays, for St. John only) and Thursdays, at 12.05 p. m.

For Castine, Deer Isle, Sedgwick, Bar Harbor, Jonesport and Machiasport (via steamer Frank Jones from Portland), Tuesdays and Fridays at 5.15 p. m.

For Woburn, 6.25, 7.01, 7.34, *7.45, 11.03 a. m.; 1.15, 1.28 p. m.; SUNDAYS, 8.45 a. m.; 5.25, 5.65 p. m.

For Ayer and Way Stations—7.10 a. m.; 12.00, 5.01 and 5.42 p. m. SUNDAYS, 2.15 p. m.

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SERGEANT WILLIAM ANTHONY, SAILOR OF THE BATTLESHIP MAINE WHO SUICIDED IN CENTRAL PARK, NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, Nov. 23.—William Anthony better known as "Brave Bill" Anthony, died at the Presbyterian hospital yesterday half an hour after he had swallowed a quantity of cocaine at one of the Central Park entrances.

William Anthony was the man who on February 15, 1898, when the battleship Maine was blown up in Havana harbor, reported to Captain Sigsbee the famous words: "Sir, I have the honor to report that the ship has been blown up and is sinking."

On his return to this country, Anthony was accorded receptions everywhere. He received invitations from cities to be their guest. For months he travelled over the country, being accorded the honors of a hero.

When his leave of absence was ended, Anthony was promoted to be a sergeant of marines and was detailed at the Brooklyn navy yard. Soon afterwards he was married. For several months past nothing has been heard of Anthony by the public.

Yesterday afternoon he was seen at the entrance to Central Park by several persons. Nearby were two park policemen and a park ambulance attendant. They saw Anthony but no particular attention was paid to him.

Suddenly he pulled a bottle from his coat pocket and placed it to his lips. In an instant the policemen were at his side, but it was too late. He had emptied the bottle. Anthony was carried to the ambulance and hurried to the Presbyterian hospital. He was not unconscious and on the way to the hospital he told the policeman that he lived in Albany refusing to disclose his identity. Nothing could be done to save his life and not until he died was it learned who he was.

In one of Anthony's pockets was found a letter written by him to his aunt, which stated that he was discouraged and disconsolate and was going to end it all. Among the other articles found was a picture of his one-month-old child on the back of which was written: "Bury this with me."

A Spanish-American war medal such as all the survivors of the battleship Maine received was also found. Anthony's wife it is said, lives in Guyanoga, Yates county, N. Y.

SECRET FOOTBALL

Played by the Tigers of Princeton

PREPARATORY TO THE YALE GAME

Team is Carefully Guarded Against Spies

When Sir Lipton's yacht Shamrock, says a New York writer, waltzed into the arena clad in petticoats, a new feature was introduced in sports which has spread with rapid contagion over the whole field from croquet to pinochle. This new element in competitive sports is secrecy and football has been made a victim. Theosophy and Christian Science are tame diversions compared with the dark-lantern mysteriousness in which secret practices are conducted by the leading football teams this season. If this hide-and-seek tendency of football continues to develop, the game will soon drop out of sight altogether.

I was privileged to be present at the secret practice of the Princeton football team this week. I was just outside the secret and far enough away from the fence to be out of range of the howitzers posted around the gridiron to keep off the spies from Yale. The football field was completely isolated from the world and the practice as completely cut off from the world as the British garrison at Ladysmith.

I skirmished around outside the lines of sentinels, trying hard to find an elevated kopje somewhere from which I could get a glimpse of the field but the kopjes don't grow very high around Princeton and so I had to give it up and try strategy.

Every Princeton student is an old sleuth with his weather eye on the lookout for a Yale man and the challenge "Who goes there?" is hurled at every unfamiliar face that peeps into college grounds.

A line of scouts stretch around the field on all sides armed with clubs ready to repel the invader. All the knot-holes in the fence are carefully plugged up with putty. Prof. Young's classes in astronomy have their telescopes trained on the station at Princeton Junction and sweep the surrounding country. Grover Cleveland is tramping the meadows with a Mauser slung over his shoulder gunning for Yalers. Freshmen armed with canes patrol the campus. It will go hard with the spy who dares to penetrate the secrets of the 'varsity practice. Nothing is allowed to leak out. The doors are plugged up. The classes in literature are busy with the scissors censoring every written thing that goes out.

It is pretty safe to say that when the teams line up on the field Saturday the Yale team will walk over to the grandstand, take seats and watch the Princetonians do stunts wicked and wonderful. At any rate one would think from the mysterious practice and unusual precautions they have been taking that they were going to spring some new-fangled war dance on the bewildered Yalesters.

There is hardly any doubt that they have a skirt on the football, a la Lipton's Shamrock, to hide the beautiful lines of its physiognomy, and surely the players must be dressed in like fashion to conceal their shame so that Yale can't possibly find out just how they size up in physical beauty. I have a suspicion that masks are worn also to conceal their faces.

For the information of Yale I wish to surmise that the new signals are simply undecipherable. They are very Chinesey and have been carefully worked out by the department of philology grinding overtime by rush lights. The whole Princeton department of trigonometry and calculus have been pumping perspiration over the intricacies of double passes and fake kicks down in the dark cellars of the dormitories.

On the field the signals are given in precipitated whispers by voices specially condensed in the physiological laboratory and sensitized ears have been supplied by the same agency. The players wear pneumatic shoes to deaden the sound of their tread on the earth so that information cannot reach Yale via China.

Overhead the atmosphere has been emasculated by scientific methods to escape the observation of balloons and in order to be perfectly safe from Yale all the blue rays from the daylight have been condensed into a large lump and cast into the furnace.

Yale doesn't know what she is going up against when she tackles these wily Tigers from Princeton Saturday. Nobody knows but the team and the coaches. And even they don't know when they get outside the grounds. Ask them and see. It will be pretty hard for the Tigers to have to give up their treasured secrets on Saturday after all the hard work they have expended in concealing them. Will they refuse to work their tricks on Yale? That is another secret.

CRISP GOSSIP.

The expression, "Let the office seek the man," did not originate in Kentucky.

This is a polite way of noticing a man's discharge from the reformatory: "Mr. John Smith has just returned from a prolonged visit to Concord Junction."

Hobo is a common word among the Sioux or Dakota Indians. They use the word in referring to young men who have nothing to do. An old chief will correct a son for such tendencies by saying, "Yut act like a hobo."

An enterprising young man with a big trunk stopped at a Chicago hotel. When he left the discovery was made that he had removed the carpet from his room and carried it away. The proprietor thought himself in luck he did not make away with the hotel.

People who come to tell you how much they like you usually have an axe to grind.

Perhaps the weather man has been informed of the threatened coal famine.

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HANDY WITH MITS

Gens. Miles and Wenton Were Clever Boxers

Think of the commanding general of the army and the commissary general of subsistence as the best boxers in the army! General Miles had used the gloves with great effect upon a great many of his fellow officers but he met his match in General Weston, and more than his match in Brigadier General Leonard A. Wood, now commanding the department of Santiago. The fight with General Weston was declared a draw, while in the "scrap" with General Wood General Miles got a crack on the jaw which caused him to be counted out.

General Miles and General Weston have always prided themselves upon their athletic accomplishments. Though both had seen hard service in the civil war and one of them had been wounded more than once in the Wilderness and the other had been through several arduous Indian campaigns on the frontier, they were at the time of the fight which is historic in the annals of the army, active and quick, in fact, "fit" for the work cut out for them.

Both were known as the crack boxers of the army. Which was the better of the two, was the question.

One bright, frosty morning after a deal of palavering at the officers' club General Miles and Captain Weston accompanied by six bottle holders, their seconds, two timekeepers, officers and the chaplain, who volunteered to act as referee, wended their way to a barranca, a mile or two from the post and stripped for action. No enlisted man was permitted to be present. It was remarked by several of the onlookers that "Weston was trained a bit too fine," but "John stripped beautifully."

After the chaplain had instructed the principals in the center of the ring, they were gloved and ordered to their corners.

As there was no gong, it was agreed that the referee should clap his hands and cry "Quit!" at the end of every three minutes; then the principals were to retire each to his corner for refreshment and rest.

"Gentlemen, let her go," said the referee, "but gently, gentlemen. Do not, I beg of you, excite yourselves. Be calm, gentlemen."

The round ended, the chaplain clapped his hands, shouted "Quit!" and the principals retired each to his corner. Again the principals advanced to the center of the ring, and after a rare exhibition of sparring Miles made a tremendous effort and upper cut, but the blow missed Weston, who wheeled around to deliver a pivot blow, which Miles dodged, but the impetus was such that Weston kept spinning like a top until the chaplain again clapped his hands and shouted "Quit!" Weston went to his corner grazing.

After five more rounds the chaplain, after long consultation and much argument with the witness, solemnly announced that it was a draw and declared all bets off.

That was satisfactory, but it was found that the principals were completely exhausted by their efforts, so much so, indeed, that it was necessary to send to the post for the water wagon to convey them to the hospital, where they remained under the surgeons' treatment for three weeks.

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LABOR MATTERS

FARM AND CITY LABOR

SOME INTERESTING FIGURES FROM AN INDIANA STATE BUREAU.

Farm Laborers $13.89 a Month, With Their Board—Wages of City Worker Higher, but His Rural Brother Has Some Advantages.

State Statistician Connors has just completed the compilation of statistics out of the ordinary, which will, though they apply to Indiana alone, be of general interest over the Mississippi valley, as they are probably the first compiled in any of the great valley states which bear upon the condition and wage of farm labor. He has accumulated his information through canvass made by township trustees. There are a few of the 1,180 trustees who failed to make the report, but what has been brought together gives a very fair insight to the farm labor conditions in this and other states of the valley, where the conditions are practically the same.

There are 33,404 men employed on Indiana farms. They are receiving an average wage of $13.89 a month, together with their board. There are 11,714 women employed on farms as domestics and in other capacities. Their average pay is $1.56 a week, together with their board. The wages of farm hands range from $10.50—the lowest found in Jackson county—to $16.70 a month, the average in Warren county. The highest wage paid to the women is $2.20 a week, in Newton county. This, of course, includes board. Marion county heads the list with the number of women employed in homes, with 1,015, while Knox leads in the number of male farm hands with 972. The county employing the least number is diminutive Ohio, which has but 29. The counties having next to the highest number of farm hands are Tippecanoe, 858; Benton, the same number; Shelby, 851; Posey, 821, and Marion, 691. Putnam and Newton are next to Warren in highest wages, paying respectively $16.55 and $16.17.

These figures, which show rather meager wages on a cash basis, however, have to be taken with some allowance, and it is difficult to ascertain the true status of the farm hand compared with the laborer in the city. Whether he shall be counted as a common or a skilled laborer makes a very great difference. On a basis of scientific horticulture and agriculture, at least 90 per cent of them would be classed as common laborers. If this is their classification, they are much better off than the common laborer in the cities and towns of Indiana, as statistics recently compiled through the same avenues will show. If, however, it is considered that they are masters of an art and are therefore skilled laborers, their cash wages do not compare favorably with those of the workers in shops and factories. If there is in farm work a circumscribed opportunity beyond which the farm boy cannot step higher than the status of a common laborer—on at least a wage basis the figures which have just been compiled, taken together with those which follow, will in a measure answer forcibly that long mooted question, "Why do the boys leave the farm?"

Indiana skilled labor is well paid. The wages compare very favorably with the states showing the highest. In most of the industries indicated below the wage scales are drafted and annually accepted by national wage committees of manufacturers and workers. This makes an equality on wages all over the nation. Wages of skilled workers—in Indiana—making agricultural implements and machinery average $1.92 a day; makers of engines, boilers and machinery average $2.02; furniture makers, $1.63; glass workers, $1.98; iron and steel workers, $2.20; paper and paper ware makers, $1.81; railway construction, equipment and shipbuilders, $2.05; wagon and buggy makers, $1.64; tin plate makers, $3.35 (the highest wage paid in the states); planing mill skilled workers, $1.88; brewers, $1.78; an average of $2.75. These figures cover but a few of the principal industries.

It is difficult to average the wage of the common laborers in Indiana. Many of them receive very remunerative pay and others doing more menial work are getting pauper wages. There are so many things that have to be considered that thus far it has been found impossible to take a census covering this information. It has been estimated, however, that common laborers above the age of 16—under which labor is termed "child"—average between 65 and 75 cents a day in Indiana and that this is a very great improvement in the last several years. In this classification, however, are included all workers who "shift" for themselves, many of whom are unable to find employment.

In casting the totals of the city and country workers, another very great item also has to be taken into consideration. The farm laborer is provided with board and lodging, items of expense which amount to much with city workers. It is estimated that this averages $1 a week.

The extra expenses which the town and city man has also have to be taken into consideration. All of these figures are on a basis of average; they should not be accepted as special estimates on living. There are some farm laborers in Indiana who are getting $22 to $25 a month; there are some specially skilled workers who are getting extra compensation, but those paid lower wages lessen the showing.

Figures can be had which will show the opportunity for rising above the lower level of a worker into that of an employer or landowner. It is claimed that the opportunity of the farmer boy is better in this respect than of the city workman.—Indianapolis Letter in Chicago Record.

A TYPICAL HOODLUM.

A Product of Nineteenth Century So Called Christian Civilization.

Jacob Bereshein was 15 when he was charged with murder, says Jacob A. Riis in September Atlantic. It is now more than three years ago, but the touch of his hand is cold upon mine with mortal fear as I write. Every few minutes, during our long talk on the night of his arrest and confession, he would spring to his feet and, clutching my arm as a drowning man catches at a rope, demand with shaking voice, "Will they give me the chair?" The assurance that boys were not executed quieted him only for the moment. Then the dread and the horror were upon him again.

Jacob is a type of the street boy on the east side, where he belonged. What does not apply to him applies to his class. But there was very little of it indeed that he missed or that missed him.

He was born in a tenement where the sunlight "never entered." Darkness and discouragement did, and did.

The street taught him gambling as its first lesson and stealing as the next. The two are never far apart. From shooting craps behind the "cop's" back to fleeing from the grocer's stock is only a step. Then there was the law which sternly commanded him to go to school, and which he laughed at every day. Then there was the law to prevent child labor. It cost 25 cents for a false age certificate to break that, and Jacob, if he thought of it at all, probably thought of perjury as rather an expensive thing. A quarter was a good deal for the right to lock a child up in a factory when he ought to have been at play. The excise law was everybody's game. The sign that hung in every saloon saying that nothing was sold there to minors never yet barred out his "growler" when he had the price. There was another such sign in the tobacco shop, forbidding the sale of cigarettes to boys of his age.

Jacob calculated that when he had the money he smoked as many as 15 in a day, and he laughed when he told me. He laughed, too, when he remembered how the boys of the east side took to carrying balls of cord in their pocket, on the wave of the Lexow reform, on purpose to measure the distance from the school door to the nearest saloon. They had been told that it should be 200 feet according to law. There were schools that had as many as a dozen within the tabooed limits. It was in the papers how, when the highest courts said that the law was good, the saloon keepers attacked the schools as a nuisance and detrimental to property. Jacob sided with the saloon keeper, not because he had any opinion about it, but because it seemed natural. Such opinions as he ordinarily had he got from that quarter.

When, later on, he came to be tried, his counsel said to me, "He is an amazing liar." No, hardly amazing. It would have been amazing if he had been anything else. Lying and mockery were all around him, and he adjusted himself to the things that were. He lied in self defense.

The New American Way.

There is a bright outlook for the model garment making colony established at New Orange, N. J., by Max Ernst, the New York clothing manufacturer. Fifty families left New York the other day for the new settlement. Ernst is conducting a large workroom on Broadway, near Spring street a kind of training school, from which are graduated the workers for New Orange, where it is intended ultimately to employ 600 operatives.

General Secretary White of the National Garment Workers' union, speaking of this improvement by Ernst in the method of manufacturing clothing, said: "The sweatshop has existed so long because we have been willing to adopt the methods of continental Europe. We are making clothing as they make it in the sweatshops of Russia, Germany and Austria, and we ought to be ashamed to confess it. The new American way is to give the workers plenty of room, light and fresh air. All these things they will get, as I understand it, at New Orange."

Benevolence of Big Six.

Apropos of the bitter war of misrepresentation and vilification which the New York Sun is carrying on against Typographical union No. 6—against all unions of labor, in fact—it is well to know that during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1899, No. 6 disbursed to its unemployed and retired members, $32,025.27; paid funeral benefits in the same period, $10,050.60; paid the Childs-Drexel home for aged printers, $6,250; paid to its farm project, an experimental plan to aid the unemployed, $3,453.25; for headstones to mark the graves of deceased members, $243.91; paid to New York hospitals, $1,461.90. Showing a total of $55,284.93 expended for benevolent purposes in a single year, while during the same period No. 6 expended only $105.26 in the conduct of strikes and warfare with employers.

Wright on Machinery.

There has been no debasement of humanity by the substitution of machinery for human labor, and there is no danger in such substitution. Machinery has not helped to create new and tremendous inequalities of society or turned thousands into tramps and vagabonds or hardened the natural selfishness of men in any way, as is so often asserted. It has been the means of reducing the workday from 12 to 14 hours to 9 or 10, and the inevitable result will be the still further reduction in the time necessary for the earning of a living. It has not only shortened the work day; it has also increased the remuneration per hour.—Carroll D. Wright.

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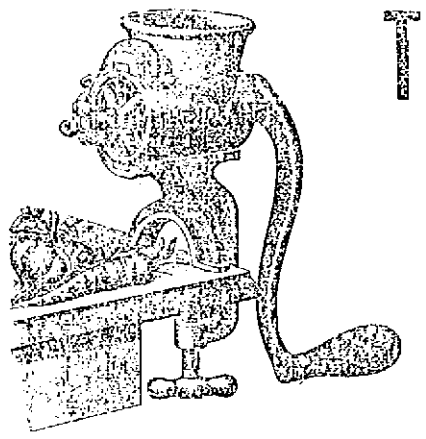

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LITERARY NOTES.

A few weeks ago since, being thereunto impelled by the very favorable notices in the Times and other journals, I read Mr. Winston Churchill's now famous novel, "Richard Carvel," and while in the vein, succumbed to the "Hugh Wynne, Free Quaker," to say "have read" since I read "Carvel" with magnified pleasure and "Wynne" with wonder. Had the perusal of "Wynne" preceded that of "Carvel" I would have anticipated still more as I read the latter. "Carvel" is as like "Wynne" in many respects, for Mitchell's novel is date preceded Mr. Churchill's and as the latter author read all the historical and semi-historical matter that had been written around revolutionary times, the inference is that he included "Hugh Wynne," if not, it is remarkable how closely his hero follows Dr. Mitchell's Free Quaker. Lodge Wynne in Annapolis and Carvel in Philadelphia, and the story of one would fit that of the other. Hugh was worried by a bad scheming cousin; Richard's uncle was his bete noir. Hugh had an always present fairy aunt; Richard's grandfather was his protecting angel. In his youth Hugh's aunt presented Lin a mare, "Lucy" fleet as the wind and he became a masterful rider, which served him well later in the war—Richard's grandfather bought Lin "Firefly," a mare of lively disposition, and he learned to ride her like a centaur which afterward served him well when challenged to ride the wild stallion in London streets.

Hugh's father was an uncompromising tory—Richard's grandfather loved the king next to his God. Hugh early imbibed Whig principles from his friend, Wilson, the lawyer, carefully concealing the fact from his father—Richard as a boy was taught patriotic views by his friend, Swain, the lawyer, and his grandfather did not hear of the fact for years after. Hugh went to an academy in the Quaker City and showed his courage in several street fights—Richard did the same at Annapolis. When Hugh was only a broth of a boy an old soldier given to prophecy in his idle moments predicted that some day he would be a great general—in his adolescence an ancient mariner between his cups, cast Richard's horoscope and declared he would be one a significant of renown. Exciting is indeed which Hugh and his boson friend fight with the two British officers who thought them deficient in courage. Equally well told is the part a quarter in which Richard and his bosom friend engage with their unscrupulous adversaries in the darkness of Vauxhill gardens. The love stories of Hugh and Darthea and of Richard and Dorothy run on parallel lines; the two girls are as like in temperament and disposition as peas.

There are a few of the parallel lines; both are wonderfully interesting; both exceedingly well told; but how I wished when I concluded "Hugh Wynne, Free Quaker" that it had come first to me or that I had read only "Richard Carvel," which I say prejudice.—[Writer in New York Times.]

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SYNDICATE BALL

Ebbetts of Brooklyn Opposes it

MAY DROP DODGERS FROM LEAGUE

News of the Base Ball World

Charley Ebbets, president of the Brooklyn Base Ball club, talked base ball yesterday. He took under consideration many of the rumors flying about, relative to base ball in general and the Brooklyn club in particular. He was very reluctant at first to say nothing, but finally told a reporter what follows:

"Things are going smoothly now and I don't care to bring myself into controversy with those in or out of the influence of the National League.

"But regarding the dropping of the Brooklyn club from the league, I think there isn't any probability of that. I think, really, there is no intention on the part of the league magnates to attempt to force the club out. Our contract with the National League does not expire for two years to come, and it was entered into when Brooklyn was a city in itself. The consolidation of the two cities should not affect it in the least, to my mind.

"Why should Brooklyn be dropped? Haven't we always tried to furnish good base ball? Haven't we always shown that we had the elevation of the game at heart?

"The game became rather dull in Brooklyn in 1898. We were nearly as good as other teams, but the patrons of the game clamored for better ball. Something had to be done. What then? We consolidated with Baltimore, brought the best players into the Brooklyn team, and gave our city better satisfaction for their money than they have had for some time. If other teams had done likewise the ideal in base ball would have been reached.

"We made money in Brooklyn last year and what is more the balance in Baltimore was on our side.

"Our feeling toward New York has always been friendly. Why the better the team New York has the more will the game in New York be pleased. Keen rivalry between the two boroughs brings greater interest into the game and tends to lessen the discontent among those interested in the sport.

"New York should have a good team, and we will give any assistance in our power to improve its team, or any other team in the league. New York could have had McGraw, Robinson and Gelfin last year if it wanted them, but I am inclined to believe that there would be some hesitancy on our part to let McGraw and Robinson go now. I am afraid the game in Baltimore would fall dead if they were taken from the team.

However, I think next year will see the game on a better footing all around. There appears to be no dissension anywhere -all the managers seem to be working together.

Relative to the new association, Mr. Ebbets said he thought there was not the least foundation for it, particularly not in a city where a league team has already been established.

"The old brotherhood taught a lesson which, I think, has not been forgotten," said he. "Knowing this failure, men will not put money into this venture."

"Syndicate base ball? Well, to speak candidly, I am not in favor of syndicate base ball. I think each team should be under the control of individual management. Sell Baltimore? Yes. If we received sufficient compensation for our interests in Baltimore we would be only too willing to let it go. While syndicate base ball may improve one team, it causes harsh feeling toward it from the other clubs."

Brooklyn will probably strengthen the team next year, Mr. Ebbets said, but that matter is entirely in Mr. Hanlon's hands.

The hottest of times are predicted when the magnates making up the National League and American association of base ball clubs get together for the annual confab on Dec. 12th. One of the biggest questions that will confront the base ball moguls is that of "syndicate ball." Those who profess to "know it all" say this brand of the national pastime will be eradicated and that when next season starts each club will be operated by different owners. It is hard to figure how the eradication of syndicate ball can be accomplished without some awkward disclosures being made. There are more magnates that one that operate one club and hold big pieces of stock in another.

Ned Hanlon, the manager of the Brooklyn club and president of the Baltimore club, talks as follows on syndicate ball. I think the ownership of the several clubs should be distinct, but there is a vast amount of canting hypocrisy in this matter. The syndicate business was forced upon us. We would gladly have parted with our interest in the Baltimore club last year, and I believe that separate owners for the clubs would be best for the game. After the season was opened the two clubs were as distinctly kept apart as any two teams in the league. Even when the Brooklyns were badly pressed for players we did not take any from the Baltimore club but spent large sums in getting players from other sources. Baltimore was allowed to develop its players without any interference from Brooklyn, and I will leave it to any one who saw the games to judge as to the intense rivalry between the two teams."

That there are others benefited by syndicate ball Hanlon wishes to prove by these utterances: "Now, I want to call your attention to another aspect of syndicate ball which has not received half the attention it deserves, particularly in view of the recent remarks of Mr. Soden of the Boston club. Well, last fall when the struggle between Boston and Brooklyn was at its height and Boston needed strengthening, what did Mr. Soden do? Why, he went over to his New York club and had Meekin the Giants' great twirler, transferred to Boston without playing a sou. That was syndicate ball with a vengeance. And yet Mr. Soden poses as a base ball reformer, and talks about the wickedness of Brooklyn, Baltimore and St. Louis. I think Mr. Soden had better remove that lumber yard from his own eyes before he goes hunting for beams in his neighbor's optics."

The news that the Colonels are to be dropped from the major organization has set many to thinking the league next year will cover an eight-club circuit. Those who think this way figure that besides the Colonels, Washington, Cleveland and Brooklyn will be dropped. It is hard to foretell just how big the circuit will be, but those who believe they ought to know say that if the league is reduced in size only two clubs—the Louisvilles and the Clevelands—will be excluded.

President Jim Hart of the Chicago club labels the story that all the Louisville players will be sought by his club, a "pipe." He says there is absolutely no truth in it. The Windy City fans are sorry to hear it. The story is a most interesting one. It names Fred Clarke for the Chicago outfield with Jimmy Ryan and Sandow Mertes and also as captain of the Colts. It puts Hans Wagner on third or short or possibly on first, with the others playing bench and Cunningham taking a turn with the pitching bunch. It is a beautiful dream and the fans would like to see it come true. Jim Hart declares there is not a word of truth in it from beginning to end. Still the Loftus rumor bobs up with charming persistency. It is similar to the story that Ban Johnson would succeed Nick Young and from the same source.

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SECOND ELEVEN

OF HIGH SCHOOL DEFEATED THE CHELMSFORD HIGH.

The second High school eleven had a regular walkover with the Chelmsford High eleven at Chelmsford Centre yesterday, the local team winning by a score of 38 to 0. The local boys were heavier and better fitted for the game than their Chelmsford opponents. From the start of the game the Chelmsford youngsters took but little part in the matter of advancing the ball for they only had it about twice during the 40 minutes of play. O'Brien, Bean, Bowen and Murphy played well for the local team as did Morrison and Butterfield. Secton, J. Davis and Holt were the only players to do any good work for the losing team. The line-up:

Lowell	Chelmsford
O'Brien (capt.) le	re, Stearns
French, lt	rt, Howe
Murphy (Butterfield) lg	rg, Hunt
McQuade, c	c, J. Davis
Gray, rg,	lg, McNutt
Staples, rt,	lt, Adams
Haley, re	le, Howard
Perkins, qb	qb, Howard
Bowen, lhb	rhb Holt
Drury, rhb	lhb, Redman
Morris (Church) fb	fb Blaisdell

Score—Lowell High, 38, Chelmsford 0. Touchdowns—Scored by Bean, Morrison (2), Bowen (3). Goals from touchdowns—Gray (2), Morrison. Referee—J. Drury. Umpire—F. O'Sullivan. Linesmen—Emerson and Nichols. Timekeepers—Murphy and Stearn. Time—20 minute halves.

CROSS COUNTRY RUN

WON BY LITTLE JACKSON PALMER.

A cross country run was managed by the High school boys yesterday morning and there were ten competitors. The start was made from the school at 8.30 and the destination was Haggett's Pond, which is five miles and return. The boys were out early and were in fine fettle to race, all clothed in their sweaters and running suits. The following were the men entered: Jackson Palmer, Fred Meredith, Herbert Goddard, Fisher Nesmith, Osborne Cilley, Joshua Herrick, Lovejoy Russell, J. Meredith and H. Coburn.

At 8.30 sharp they started from the school at a good clip and were keeping close abreast the greater part of the way, but finally when they viewed the destination Jack Palmer was out for first honors and he took a sudden brace and took the lead, finishing first.

His time was 45 minutes. Russell finished second and Goddard third.

They had a walking match home and covered the distance in one hour and thirty minutes. Palmer, the winner of the first place, showed skill in his running and it was through his coolheadedness that he won the first place.

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE MIDDLESEX CO-OPERATIVE BANK.

The seventh annual meeting of the Middlesex Co-operative bank was held last evening at Room 2, Hildreth building. The report for the year ending Oct. 27, 1899, was read as follows:

Cash Account—On hand Oct. 28, 1899, $7,353.34; total received during the year, $56,158.22; total, $63,511.56. Total paid out, $48,558.46; balance on hand, $14,953.10; total, $63,511.56.

Assets—Real estate loans, $100,900; share loans, $7,525; permanent expenses, $80; suspense, $523; cash on hand, $14,953.10; total, $124,011.10.

Liabilities — Dues capital, $106,401.09; profits, $16,558.22; surplus, $855.82; guarantee fund, $227.06; total, $124,011.10.

The officers are: President, Jesse H. Shepard; vice president, George A. Scribner; clerk and treasurer, William D. Brown; directors for three years, John M. Kingsbury, George A. Roper, George S. Fenderson; auditors, John J. Bancroft, Jr., William R. Killpartrick, Michael J. Burns.

MUSIC HALL

Another good-sized audience attended Music Hall last evening to witness the second performance of A. L. Scammon's "Sleeping City." The play met with the same success as on the previous evening. The scenery was excellent and the cast strong. The play is full of fine specialties, notable among them being the singing and dancing by Miss Dell Lincoln and Lester A. Davis and that of Fred and Nellie Daly were the hits of the evening. The burning of the insane asylum is strikingly realistic. The last two performances will be given this afternoon and evening, when the engagement comes to a close.

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FRENCH BOXING

Is Considered Very Cruel in This Country

LA SARATE STYLE NOT POPULAR HERE

All the Boxing News of the Day

The "savate" style of fighting as employed by the French has been the cause of much discussion since the recent defeat of Jerry Driscoll, the ex-champion of the British navy, by M. Charlemont, the Frenchman. In this bout Charlemont used his hands and feet, while Driscoll fought as he agreed, with only his hands.

A description of the contest is worth reproduction. In part it is as follows:

The bout resulted in a disgusting exhibition. Long before it commenced the hall was packed, notwithstanding the fact that as much as 200 francs ($40) a head was asked for admission.

After the first round Driscoll who had been studying the kicking tactics of his opponent, set to work to beat Charlemont at all points. At the end of the third round the fight was over, for the Frenchman was then all but a wreck. Then disgraceful tactics were indulged in by the organizers under the pretense that Driscoll's seconds had encouraged him during the round. This excuse was made to give Charlemont time to recover.

As the fight proceeded Driscoll won again on fouls, as he was able to show the marks of Charlemont having bitten him. Charlemont in the eighth round took advantage of a clinch and used his knee in brutal fashion, and in contravention of the rules. Driscoll fell in terrible agony, and the fight was awarded to Charlemont amid cries of "Vive la France!" Charlemont was enthusiastically kissed by his admirers. The state of Driscoll at the close of the encounter is described as "simply pitiable." He soon pulled himself together again.

After this fight Kid McCoy challenged M. Charlemont, offering to meet him in a contest for $5,000 a side. McCoy agreed to allow the Frenchman to employ all his tricks of "savate" style of fighting, while he would confine himself to an attack with his hands.

The Frenchman refused to meet McCoy, or rather, never answered his defi.

A professor of "la savate" was brought over from France to meet one of the English pugs. At the last moment no Englishman could be induced to fight the Frenchman, and an Irishman, Jim Donohue by name, consented to tackle "Frenchy."

A description of the fight is printed here:

Donohue hadn't been in the ring many seconds when the Frenchman commenced the battle with a "cow-kick," a sharp roaster that in this case was only hard enough to be irritating, but it can be given by an expert with sufficient force to dislocate the knee joint.

Jim winced a bit from botheration rather than anything else, but did not lower his guard. A second later the Frenchman gave him the coup de flanc, which consisted in suddenly swinging up the knee of the fighting foot and planting the heel with great force under the Irishman's jaw. Jim went flying over the ropes and up against the wainscot, which abutted on one side of the ring.

He was considerably staggered when he got up, but with true Irish fondness for a bit of punishment, he went at the froggy again, only to catch another kick fairly under the chin, and away went James to the old spot as if he was taking the wall with him.

"Oh, by the Virgin," said he, as he rested in his corner, "'tis like fightin' a horse."

All through the minute's interval Donohue's second dinned it into the Irishman to "slip him" and then come in with a right-handed punch. So time being called, James went in with great caution and with his eyes fixed on his adversary's feet—a strong characteristic of "Kid" Lavigne's style, by the way.

It was good advice that the second gave his man, for in the round that followed the Frenchman after manoeuvring for some seconds, let go a mighty kick, which Jim saw coming, just in time to step aside. Before the Frenchman could recover his equilibrium Donohue stepped in with his right foot, and with his right fist landed his opponent a tremendous mash squarely on the jaw. The French professor fell all in a heap in the opposite corner of the ring and for several seconds lay quite motionless.

His seconds picked him up and tried every trick known to the fraternity to bring him to, but the exponent of "la savate" only rolled about and groaned piteously. When at last he awoke to his senses it was only to howl: "Oh, mon Dieu, zees ees not ze boxe; I vill not do like zees!"

An idea of the "la savate" method of fighting with the feet may be obtained from the following:

In using his foot, the Frenchman generally swings round on one leg and shoots out the other sideways, sometimes shooting right up over his opponent's head. The same movement often includes quick, successive kicks at different parts of the body, for instance, the chest, and then the head. Occasionally the kick may be a running one, straight to the front, but, in fact, all sorts of attitudes are assumed in the delivery of the blow. The kicks, it is to be noticed, are invariably defended with the arms, the hands, of course, being encased in the customary boxing gloves. As a means of defense the foot is seen to advantage in what is known as the "coup d'arret," which consists simply in stopping your opponent by thrusting out the foot at right angles against his chest. One way of meeting a kick is, of course, to seize your opponent's foot, if you can catch it. He may release himself with a jerk or by resting his hands on the ground and kicking his free leg; but on the other hand, the man with the imprisoned limb may sometimes be hurled backwards to the ground. In addition to the use of the "coup d'arret," a French boxer possesses an advantage over an English opponent in his liberty to use the "back-heel throw." This simply means putting the foot behind your opponent's heel and tripping him up, or in the alternative, seizing him behind the heel with the hand and so hurling him onto his back. Finally, wrestling can be added to boxing, and the proceedings made to assume the aspect of a mixture of boxing, wrestling and acrobatic feats.

The prospects of a fight being arranged between Bob Fitzsimmons and Tom Sharkey are not very promising at the present time, owing to the fact that Lanky Bob has said he will not fight anyone but Jeffries, his conqueror. After the recent battle between Jeffries and Sharkey Tom O'Rourke, manager of Sharkey, feeling satisfied that Jeffries would not consent to meet the sailor again in less than a year at the earliest, at once began to plan for a fight between Sharkey and Fitzsimmons. O'Rourke got one of Lanky Bob's closest friends to find out for him if he would box Sharkey. Martin Julian, manager of Fitzsimmons, informed this person that the latter would not fight anyone but Jeffries. On the strength of this information O'Rourke has decided not to issue a challenge to match Sharkey against Fitzsimmons as he claims it would only be a waste of precious time. A fight between Fitzsimmons and Sharkey, either at Coney Island or at the Lenox Athletic club, would attract an immense crowd.

Terry McGovern, the little fighting wonder of South Brooklyn, who recently added more fame to his career by knocking out Patsey Haley and Billy Smith, of Philadelphia, in the same ring in Chicago, will arrive in New York on Monday. Upon his arrival Terry will begin training for his 20-round bout with Eddie Sprague, of Chicago, which takes place at the Nutmeg State club of Hartford on Thanksgiving day. McGovern will in all probability get in shape for this encounter at Poth's road house, on Jerome avenue, where he trained for his battles with Pedlar Palmer and Johnnie Ritchie.

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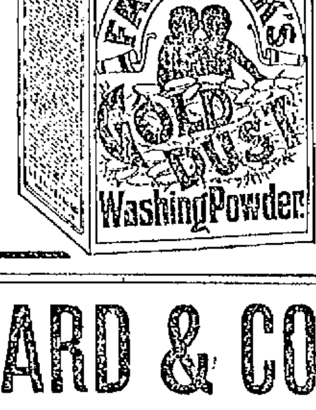

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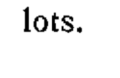

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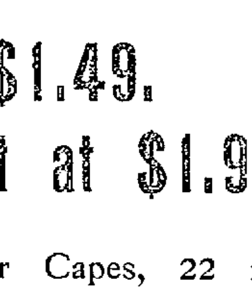

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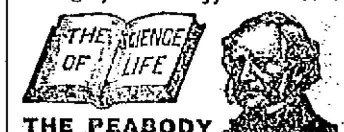

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Our usual Thanksgiving offer with a pound of tea and coffee is a large size double turkey roaster. Be sure and get one. Dickson Bros., the big tea dealers, 65 Merrimack street.

MISTAKES DO HAPPEN.

Now if you were to make a mistake and did not know it, you would be satisfied that everything was all right. If you have occasion to buy flowers or floral designs, you make a mistake if you don't buy them of us. You ask "Why?" Well, we have the largest and best stock of cut flowers and we have exclusive ideas and designs for floral work. Patten and Roberts, leading florists, 8 Merrimack square. Telephone 68-3.

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Stratton's concert next Wednesday evening. Seats at Ellingwood's, Saturday.

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If you are going to build or alter your building, and want masons' supplies, W. E. Livingston can furnish you with the best of stock at low prices.

RAILROAD FIREMEN.

A regular meeting of the Brotherhood of Railroad Firemen was held last night in Pilgrim hall.

Five new members were received into the brotherhood, and eight propositions were received. After the business was transacted, an informal entertainment was enjoyed, many of the talent from the local theatres volunteering their services. A supper was served under the direction of Joe Legasse and Mink Murray.

Y. M. C. I. TOURNAMENT.

In the Y. M. C. I. bowling tournament last evening, team five defeated team eight by a margin of 39 pins.

Ed. Murphy was the high man of the game, making 67 for the three strings, while Burns with 1[illegible] held the best single string. The score:

TEAM FIVE.

McMahon	1[illegible]2	110	145—1[illegible]
E. Murphy	152	151	164—4[illegible]
Gookin	12[illegible]	122	109—412
*Tobin	150	101	100—[illegible]
*Buckley	1[illegible]0	101	309—[illegible]
Totals	[illegible]	[illegible]	6[illegible]—1879

TEAM EIGHT.

Burns	147	121	170—441
Duggan	112	125	157—[illegible]
Watson	111	119	123—[illegible]
O'Brien	1[illegible]	119	[illegible]—[illegible]
*J. Murphy	105	100	103—3[illegible]
Totals	671	657	652—1810

*Absent.

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

Integrity lodge, M. U. I. O. O. F., held their regular meeting last night in Manchester Unity hall and four new members were initiated.

The meeting of Lowell lodge, No. 17, N. A. S. E. was held last night in Engineer's hall and several applications were received and accepted. The members are completing arrangements for an open meeting which will be held in the near future. The public and especially the press of Lowell will be invited to attend this meeting. The employment committee has received more applications for engineers than it is able to supply. If there are any first class engineers out of employment, it will be to their advantage to communicate with employment committee of Lowell No. 17.

An enthusiastic meeting was held last evening by the Sons of St. George at Post 185 hall. The chief business of the evening was the election of officers and the result being as follows: Worthy president, James Wilmont; worthy vice president, Joseph Fielding; worthy secretary, Sam Asquith; worthy treasurer, Peter Bennett; worthy messenger, James Bennett; worthy assistant secretary, Samuel Holgate; trustee, Frank T. Hunford; lodge physician, Dr. W. B. Jackson.

The next meeting of the members will be held Friday, December 1, when the installation of officers will take place. District Deputy Sydney Cowperthwaite and suite of Lawrence will officiate.

Dahlgren post, U. V. U., held their regular meeting in the upper hall of Memorial building. There was a large attendance of members and two recruits were sworn in. Routine business was transacted. There were speeches for the good of the union by Royal S. Bigley, Col. Charles Brigham and Comrades Hewes and Plumstead. Officers for the ensuing year were nominated. A comfortable campfire lunch was served after the meeting.

A progressive whist party was enjoyed by Lowell lodge, No. 55, I. O. O. F., in their hall in the Odd Fellows' building, last evening. The playing began at 8.30 and was continued for two hours. There were twenty-five tables in progress, making an even hundred players. Lemonade was served by the fund of the order committee.

The monthly circle of the Rathbone Sisters was held Thursday afternoon and evening at the residence of Mrs. Charles A. Frost, corner of Puffer and D streets. A business session was held in the afternoon which was followed by a supper and a pleasant time during the evening.

Yesterday afternoon the Unity club met at the residence of Mrs. Grace Hilton Gibson on Wilder street. It was voted to hold a sale on December 9th at the residence of Mrs. Frank E. Shaw at Tyler Park.

Court Gen. Shields will observe the tenth anniversary of the organization of the court by holding a smoke talk and entertainment next February.

HAD NARROW ESCAPE

IN A COLLISION ON THE LAWRENCE ROAD.

Last evening, Mr. John J. Regan, proprietor of the Old Washington Tavern, came near losing his life, while returning from a trip to Lawrence. Mr. Regan was driving over the road, and as the night was very dark it was all that he could do to guide the horse. When about where the old Eagle house stands, a team coming in the opposite direction and driven by George Clough, collided with that of Mr. Regan.

His turnout was badly wrecked, and his horse, which is a spirited animal, made a break and soon kicked itself free from the carriage. Mr. Regan, however, pluckily held on to the reins, and although dragged quite a distance along the roadway, managed to retain his grip upon the ribbons and finally brought the animal to a standstill. Mr. Clough helped Mr. Regan into his carriage and drove back to Lowell. Aside from the ruination of a suit of clothes and the destruction of a new derby, he was none the worse for his thrilling experience, and told a Sun reporter that it was nothing, simply an accident.

WILLIAM MILLER, THE SELF-CROWNED NAPOLEON OF FINANCE WHO HAS BEEN OPERATING THE "FRANKLYN SYNDICATE" IN BOSTON CLAIMING TO PAY 520 PER CENT. A YEAR. HIS DUPES HAVE BEEN DEPOSITING WITH HIM ABOUT $25,000 A DAY FOR MONTHS.

MILLER HAS FLED

With the Money Obtained From Poor People

On the Promise of Ten Per Cent Dividends — Millions Probably Gone—Part of the Booty Found

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—William F. Miller, head of the Franklin syndicate which it is alleged, has accepted the deposits of thousands of persons in Brooklyn under promise of paying dividends of 10 per cent. a week or 520 per cent. per annum, and Cecil Leslie, his secretary, were indicted by the Kings County grand jury this afternoon.

Bench warrants were issued for the arrest of these two men but up to quite a late hour last night neither had been found, the police saying that they had disappeared in the afternoon.

Last night the police under charge of Capt. Reynolds, chief of detectives in Brooklyn, Inspector Brennan and Police Captain Lee, raided the premises occupied by the Franklin syndicate on Floyd street, Brooklyn. There was a great crowd of people around the building and the police surrounded it.

Inspector Brennan arrested Louis Miller, brother of the head of the syndicate and the cashier of the concern, and took possession of $15,000 in cash. There were 40 employes at work in the offices and these were allowed to go. It was stated by Louis Miller to the police that the offices were then in the hands of ex-Sheriff Daly of Richmond, to whom, he said, the concern had assigned.

The charge upon which Miller was indicted was that of conspiring to defraud. The district attorney's office in Brooklyn has been at work on the case for some weeks.

Miller had been engaged for the past two years or so in offering his glittering inducements to the people to invest their money for him to make use of, but it has been only within the last month that by extensive advertising he managed to attract to his office daily hundreds of people who gathered in a long line and fought with each other for the opportunity to hand out their savings.

Even when the place was raided last night by the police a number of those around the office were waiting to deposit money with the Franklin Syndicate. The presence of the police caused great excitement. When they entered the offices, James Dally, ex-sheriff of Richmond county, to whom it was claimed the concern had assigned, was put off the premises. Dally has been in the employ of Miller for some time past.

Of the $15,000 taken possession of by the police something more than $5,000 in cash was found in the syndicate offices. From the record which the police had made of the day's deposits it was evident that a portion of the money had been removed from the offices, and Louis Miller was called upon to make an explanation. He at first refused, but on being threatened by the police said that Miss Annie Gory, an employe of the concern, who lived in a house adjoining the offices had been given the possession of a large sum of money in the morning by the head of the firm.

The police went to the adjoining house and placed Miss Gory under arrest and after an extended search they found nearly $5000 concealed in an old lounge in her apartment.

The woman then declared that she had this money in her possession for the purpose of paying the employes of the syndicate. The police however, took possession of the money and gave Miss Gory her liberty.

Then general orders were sent out, and a search instituted for William F. Miller, head of the syndicate, and his secretary, Cecil Leslie.

William F. Miller began the Franklin Syndicate in a very small way, locating his office among the poorer classes in Brooklyn and making one feature of his business the acceptance of very small sums of money and the alleged investment of them for poor people. It is alleged that he claimed that by inside tips on the stock market he was able to reap large and quick profits, of which he was willing to pay a large percentage to his clients. Seemingly he paid the interest on the principal each week and his business increased.

Within the past few months he advertised extensively and in all parts of Brooklyn could be found people who could tell wonderful stories of the weekly dividends. Then some of the financial experts in New York began to look into the business of the Franklin syndicate, and not only did many of the prominent financiers denounce as preposterous the offer of 10 per cent interest on money invested, but some of the banks refused to accept Miller's account or to do business with him.

It is claimed that Miller was simply the representative of a syndicate of men who had been engaged in conducting blind pools for years. It is asserted that the idea of paying unusually high rates of interest or unusually fascinating dividends originated with the blind pool project at Pittsburg several years ago.

After the failure of that concern similar operations were commenced in New York city and vicinity by the "Dean syndicate." Exposure and arrests resulted in scattering the various members of this syndicate, but some of them it is believed are still in New York. No syndicate has ever attempted to pay any such wonderful rates of interest as the Franklin syndicate. The very fact that the newspapers and financial circles began to make investigations aroused the public interest to such an extent, and at the same time in some quarters the public cupidity, that, it is said, within the last week.

Miller, it is alleged, has received deposits of hundreds of people, aggregating a daily amount of from $30,000 to $40,000. It is easy to see how, under these circumstances, the Franklin syndicate could pay out 10 per cent. of this amount a week and still make money.

Not only were the people living in greater New York large depositors with the syndicate, but cities all over the country contributed the earnings of scores of their residents to swell the wealth of the syndicate. The mail delivery daily at Miller's office amounted to about three wagon loads, and most of the letters contained money.

Miller had a faculty of displaying a large amount of his wealth, and the offices on Floyd street were piled high with greenbacks of all denominations, and heaps of gold.This seemed to lend confidence to those who came with their little subscriptions, and it is impossible to even estimate where the "endless chain" would have ended.

The principle of the endless chain as developed by Miller depended upon the fact that his old customers brought him additional members and were allowed a commission of 5 per cent. upon all moneys thus invested. Those who were drawing this income of 5 per cent. became walking advertisements for the Franklin syndicate.

For several weeks the United States postal department has had its trained investigators at work trying to catch Miller and his associates, but in vain.

Rev. Dr. Meredith of Brooklyn, a former pastor of Miller's, complained to the Brooklyn police that the man was ruining half of the young men of his congregation. Miller was formerly a member of Dr. Meredith's church, and became acquainted with many of the men belonging to the Sunday school and congregation.

LIKE TALES OF MONTE CRISTO.

On Tuesday of this week, just before charges of libel were preferred against Miller, he is said to have taken in $55,000 and paid out $1,000. The confidential representative of one of the banks who visited Miller's office about this time said that he never saw so much money scattered around loose in his life. He said that it reminded one of tales of Monte Cristo and Monte Carlo combined, but that as an absolute fact Miller did not have facilities for taking care of all the gold and greenbacks which poured in upon him, and empty barrels were brought up from the basement of the building in which he operated, and tens of thousands of dollars were dumped into these barrels by Miller's employes.

One of Miller's trusted employes stated that the Franklin syndicate had taken in over $4,000,000. It is known that when the banks shut down on Miller yesterday and refused to accept his deposits any longer he withdrew $100,000 from the Wells-Fargo bank. It is asserted tonight that Miller deposited $100,000 with the German consul.

Miller, who is very young and insignificant looking, possessed two positive characteristics—personal magnetism and frozen calmness. During the last two or three days, when his every movement has been watched by detectives and reporters, when crowds of depositors flocked to his establishment, he never lost his quiet ways or became angry.

He spent a few years with Heverin & Co., Wall street brokers, but never achieved much of a financial reputation there. His counsel, Col. Robert Ammon, claims that Miller in all of his methods has proceeded along lines strictly legitimate.

Tonight even after Miller had been denounced in the most unmeasured terms, probably 2000 persons gathered about the building. The doors of the office had been closed at 6 o'clock, but business was resumed shortly before 8. The would-be depositors were formed in a line by the police, reaching down the high stoop and 150 feet into the street. Business was carried on for 30 minutes. During that time 50 persons deposited money and not one drew out. This showed the confidence of Miller's public in his scheme.

Miller had not been found up to a late hour, and his wife said that she did not expect him back before Monday at least.

A receiver will be asked for, and what money can be reached will be restored to the subscribers of the syndicate.

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A "may-cure" cough medicine won't do. If it will "perhaps" do its work, it's worse than worthless. If it's good, it's worth ten times its price.

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P. A. C. VICTORS

Second Team Easily Defeated Co. C

AT BASKET BALL LAST NIGHT

Bill Neville to Play With Milford

The Company C basket ball team received a terrible defeat last evening at the armory at the hands of the clever P. A. C. second team. The militia boys were played to a standstill, the score at the close of the game standing 32 to 0 in favor of the athletes from Pawtucketville.

The only "Connie" Cronin was the hero of the game. "Connie" is the making of a fine basket ball player and his work last night was nothing if not marvelous. Cronin succeeded in caging ten goals from the floor, a remarkable performance, he thus scoring 20 of the 32 points tallied by his team. "Connie" who is a favorite with every one with whom he has ever come in contact, is all right.

In fact the whole P. A. C. team without exception, played a fine game from start to finish, and their team work was simply superb and Manager Brown is to be congratulated on the clever aggregation he has collected together.

Jack Hanlon caged four goals from the floor and young Riordan caged two. Kelley and Howe, the P. A. C. guards, carried their men admirably.

For the militia team, the best work was done by Kittredge and Livingston.

The line-up and summary was as follows:

P. A. C.	CO. C.
Cronin, lf	rg, Going
(Capt.) Hanlon, rf	lg, Kelsey
Riordan, c	c, Livingston
Kelley, lg	rf, Berry
Howe, rg	lf, Kittredge (capt.)

Score, A. C., 32, Company C, 0; goals caged by Cronin (10), Hanlon (4), Riordan (2); foul called on Howe; referees, Hugh J. Thomas and Dexter; timekeepers, Joseph Fitzgerald and Walter Bagshaw; time, 2-20 minute halves.

WESTGATE CHAPTER.

A pleasant social was enjoyed by the members of Westgate Chapter of Epworth League, of the Central M. E. church at the residence of David True on Lincoln street.

The great feature of the evening was the Mystic Band who were arrayed in fantastic costumes and whose instruments were combs. The musicians rendered "Auld Lang Syne." Miss Susan Meredith was the leader and the other members were Daisy MacBrayne, George MacDonald, Elizabeth Meredith, Blanche Pead, Grace Pead, Claude Lighthorn, A. Belle Duncan, Annie True, Mellie True and Willie Dennett. There were also readings by Misses Ethel Clark and Ethel Hall and vocal solos by Charles Thomas, while Mr. MacDonald and Miss MacBrayne charmed their auditors with a duet entitled "Reuben and Cynthia." At the conclusion of the entertainment there was an auction sale of old maids, Geo. MacDonald acting in the capacity of auctioneer. Refreshments were served during the evening.

PLEASANT SOCIAL.

A pleasant social was held last evening at the home of Mr. P. J. Farrell on Adams street which was attended by about 100 young people. Dancing and other amusements were enjoyed during the evening, and there was also some fine singing. Refreshments were served and it was a late hour when the affair came to a close. The affair was managed by the Easy club who are to have a sleighride party within two months.

LOWELL COMMANDERY

TO HOLD A REINSTITUTION.

In the early part of January, next year, at the first regular convocation of Lowell Commandery, Knights of Malta, one of the most notable events in local fraternal history is scheduled to take place. At this time there will be a reinstitution of the commandery, at which time all of the degrees will be conferred in two nights.

The reinstitution is made imperative by the number of members waiting for the higher degrees coupled with the steady influx of applicants for membership, the degrees generally being of such length that it is absolutely impossible for the staff to keep pace with the constantly increasing number of candidates. The reinstitution will be held under a special dispensation from the grand commandery and will mark the formal closing of the charter, which has been open since the inception of the commandery, one year ago last August. After the date the cost of the degrees will be nearly treble what it is at the present.

Eleven of the degrees will be worked in abbreviated form, while the 12th or red cross degree and sepulchre will be worked in full by the staff of the local commandery, which has been organized this week.It is believed that the whole work can be given in this way in two nights. The paraphernalia for the red cross degree is extremely elaborate and costly and the degree itself is most impressive. From present indications there will be nearly 100 candidates for the degrees by that time.

Lowell Commandery is now 15 months old and embraces in its membership some of the representative business and professional men of the city.

Vote for T. Frank Clark for the council, ward five.

Eyesight by absorption. Dr. Taylor.

Everybody's liable to itching piles. Rich and poor, old and young—terrible the torture they suffer. Only one sure cure. Doan's Ointment. Absolutely safe; can't fail.

£ XMAS CHECKS. £

Remittances for Christmas. Send through Murphy's steamship agency, 18 Appleton street, payable in Ireland, England, Scotland and all over Europe. 30 years in the business in the same place. Opposite the postoffice.

D. MURPHY.

MRS. C. P. BACHELDER.
A Well-known Pawtucket Woman Whose Story Appears Below.

MADE HER MISERABLE

What Indigestion did for a Well-Known Pawtucket Woman.

Sleeplessness and Fainting Spells Afflicted Her but Disappeared when Her Stomach Trouble was Conquered.

So far does the health of the body depend upon the digestive system that some of the worst ills of mankind are often to be traced directly to a derangement of the stomach. Correct this so that the body can be nourished in the natural way and there is soon no need of medicine. On the other hand a neglected case of indigestion invariably leads to the most unhappy results.

Mrs. C. P. Bachelder, of 57 Mason Street, Pawtucket, R. I., a woman who is well and favorably known throughout the community, tells of an experience that may be a guide to many others. She says:

"About three years ago I was afflicted with stomach trouble and indigestion. This brought on sleeplessness and fainting spells. My nervous system was all run down and I was miserable most of the time. I had been under a doctor's treatment without perceptible benefit and seeing Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People advertised, I decided to try them. I did so and before I had finished the first box I found that they were helping me. My color began to improve, the insomnia disappeared and my nerves became stronger.

"I continued taking the pills for about a year, although not regularly all of that time. I can truly say that Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People have helped me more than any other medicine I ever took, and they have been of great benefit to my husband, who has had two strokes of paralysis. I have recommended the pills to a large number of people who have also been helped by them."

(Signed) MRS. C. P. BACHELDER.

All the elements necessary to give new life and richness to the blood and restore shattered nerves are contained, in a condensed form, in Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. Mrs. Bachelder owes her life, health and happiness to this wonderful remedy, and although your case may not resemble hers, Dr. Williams' Pink Pills will help you because they act upon the nerves as well as the blood. They banish the unpleasant symptoms that make the lives of seven-tenths of the women of this country almost unbearable. A few of these symptoms are severe headache, loss of appetite, pale or sallow complexion, palpitation of the heart, swollen ankles or legs, nervousness, offensive breath, etc. The sufferer may exhibit one or more of these symptoms, or may have all. They simply indicate the ravages disease has made upon the system, and the more of these symptoms the patient shows, the greater the necessity for prompt and persistent treatment, until they have been banished. To accomplish this end, Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People are the only unfailing remedy. They positively cure all suppressions and irregularities, which, if neglected, inevitably entail sickness and trouble.

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LOWELL ORCHESTRAL SOCIETY.

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SIX O'CLOCK.

HOBART'S FUNERAL

Impressive Service Over Vice-President's Remains

Factories, Business Houses and Schools Closed—Pres. McKinley and Cabinet in Attendance

By Associated Press to The Sun.

PATERSON, N. J., Nov. 25.—The bells of all the churches in Paterson were tolled today for two hours preceding the funeral services over the body of Garret A. Hobart. From an early hour Paterson, which is a lively manufacturing town, presented an unusual appearance. The mills and factories were shut down and business was generally suspended throughout the city. All the incoming trains were crowded and the streets of the city were thronged with strangers.

A larger portion awaited the Broadway station, waiting the arrival of the presidential train and the special train conveying the United States senators, congressmen and other distinguished persons. There was also a crowd on Carroll Place near the Hobart residence. Two companies of United States regulars from Governor's Island did police duty about the grounds at Carroll Hall. A cordon of city police kept the street in front of the house clear so that the carriages could arrive and depart.

The church bells were tolled from 9 until 11 a. m., when special services were held in many churches of different denominations all over the city. These services were generally well attended and were of an impressive character.

After these services the church bells resumed tolling and continued until the hour arrived for the public funeral services at the Church of the Redeemer.

As the distinguished personages arrived at the railroad stations, they were met by committees representing the government, the local authorities and citizen of Paterson.

The floral decorations at the church of the Redeemer were magnificent. A band of smilax over three feet wide and thick enough to hide the wall ran around both sides and the front of the main auditorium. Above the windows the wreath was unbroken before the pipes of the great organ. At the windows giant palms reached up to the smilax. These palms and the festooning around the windows were laden with white flowers, principally lilies of the valley, orchids and chrysanthemums. Around the organ and the pulpit lilies were strewn in lavish profusion. The fonts before the pulpit were covered with American Beauty Roses to the height of nine feet. A larger undecorated space before the pulpit was reserved for the casket.

Seats had been reserved in the church for President McKinley and the members of his cabinet, Chief Justice Fuller and associate justices of the supreme court; members of the United States senate and house of representatives, Messrs. Algeo Bliss and Gary, former members of President McKinley's cabinet; the governor and other state officers of New Jersey; representatives of county and city governments of New Jersey; President Austin Scott of Rutgers college; Henry W. Green, representing Princton university; representatives of the republican organizations in New Jersey and Passaic county and various manufacturing and financial institutions with which Mr. Hobart had been identified.

There are 32 pall bearers, eight representing the United States senat, 8 representing the house of representatives, eight personal pall bearers, selected by Mr. Hobart two months before his death, and eight sergeant-at-arms of the senate, known as the senate police, who acted as body-bearers, and carried the casket. They were in uniform, and were headed by Captain A. P. Garden, their chief. It is customary for them to so act at the funerals of senators, and they asked the privilege of so acting in the case of the vice-president. The personal pall bearers were Attorney-General Griggs, Edward T. Bell, Franklin Murphy, General Joseph W. Congdon and Joseph Frank Fort, George F. Baker, E. A. Walton and Col. William Barbour.

The senate pall bearers were Wm. P. Frye of Maine, M. A. Hanna of Ohio, William J. Seewell and John Kean of New Jersey, C. W. Fairbanks of Indiana, James McMillan of Michigan, John W. Daniel of Virginia and F. M. Cockrell of Missouri.

The pall bearers from the house of representatives were D. B. Henderson of Iowa, John J. Gardner and R. Wayne Parker of New Jersey, Charles F. Joy of Missouri, W. P. Hepburn of Iowa, John Sailsell of Pennsylvania, George B. McClellan of New Jersey and John Ryer of Virginia.

The service at the house was brief and simple. It was held in the library, which was banked with flowers sent by friends of the dead vice-president.

Mrs. Hobart, with her son Garret A. Hobart, Jr., sat near the head of the casket, while near her were grouped the president and his cabinet, judges of the supreme court, the honorary pall bearers and the immediate friends of the family, including Mrs. Newton, Albert A. Wilcox, Mrs. Wilcox, Private Secretary Evans and the family servants. The Rev. David Magie offered prayer.

President McKinley and his cabinet officers and over sixty members of the senate and a great many congressmen who came on special trains, attended the services at the house.

After the house service, the body, enclosed in an oaken casket with silver ornaments and hidden with flowers, was taken to the church.

The services at the church lasted an hour and were conducted by the Rev. Dr. Magie. They began with an organ prelude and reading of scriptures by the Rev. Charles P. Shaw, pastor of the Second Presbyterian church of Paterson. Then followed the singing of the hymn, "Nearer My God to Thee," by the Orpheus club.

Rev. Dr. Magie, the pastor, then preached the funeral sermon, and offered prayer. This was followed by the anthem "Weary Hands," sung by the Orpheus club, after which the benediction was pronounced by the Rev. Dr. Magie.

SUPERIOR CIVIL COURT.

In the case of Ford vs. Employers' Liability Association Corporation Limited et als, a demurrer was argued by Jerome F. Manning, Esq., Richardson for corporation. Uncontested divorce cases were heard on motions and several cases on the trial calendar were defaulted. The court was adjourned to Monday when the uncontested divorce docket will be in order. No decision has been handed down in the tax case in regard to the motion to compel the Tremont and Suffolk corporation to produce its books. The case of Audette vs. Union St. Joseph remains unsettled.

A LIQUOR SEIZURE.

The liquor inspectors paid a visit to the Cosmopolitan drug store on Merrimack street this afternoon and made a big haul. They found a large quantity of whiskey which they seized. The proprietor, J. B. Kronberger, was arrested.

The Unity club met yesterday afternoon with Mrs. Grace Hilton Gibson of Wilder street. It was voted to hold a sale Dec. 19th, at the home of Mrs. Frank E. Shaw, Tyler Park.

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YALE LOST

Princeton Wins in an Interesting Contest

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Nov. 25—The choicest kind of November weather this morning greeted the hundreds of football enthusiasts who have been looking forward to the day when Yale's varsity eleven should meet her time—honored rivals from Princeton on the gridiron in the annual contest for supremacy in this particular branch of sport. Daybreak was followed by the rising of a brilliant sun, which served to temper with just enough warmth a crisp and snappy temperature almost ideal for football.

Goodly crowds of visiting followers of the sport has reached Yale's home yesterday afternoon and evening. Their numbers were steadily increased during the night until every desirable hotel in the city and most of the hostelries, which might ordinarily be considered undesirable were occupied to the limit. By the younger and more enthusiastic element the night was largely spent in the enjoyment of a rollicking good time, Yale students and Princeton students fraternized with much exurberance, with none of the animosities of the ordinary rivals.

The hotels this morning were tardy in exhibiting ordinary life, but by nine o'clock their corridors had began to fill and an hour later they were choked. It was not until a late hour in the forenoon that the New York trains began to unload the expected contingents, but the little towns of Connecticut where are uniformly loyal to Yale on the earliest of the morning trains began to send in their generous delegations of rooters.

The hotels and shops throughout the city were gaily decorated, while private residences displayed the Yale colors invishly.

On the college campus all was suppressed excitement, the students chafing under the unusual action of the faculty in holding recitations as usual until 1 p. m.

Almost no betting was made this morning. The Princeton crowd did not reach New Haven until after noon and the time between that hour and 2 p. m., when the game was to be called, was occupied in procuring luncheons, etc. What few wagers were posted were recorded at the prevailing odds of 5 to 3, with Yale the favorite.

Some of the excitement usually occasioned was wanted during the forenoon because of the fact that the Princeton team this year departing from the usual custom and remaining away from New Haven until the last moment. The players from Old Nassau, came to New Haven on a special train from New York, reaching this city shortly after 12 o'clock. They dressed on their train and at the proper time took carriages through unfrequented streets for Yale field.

The first special train rolled in from New York at 11.10 and was followed rapidly by others until 1 p. m.

Following is the line-up:

Yale	Position	Princeton
Hubell	le	Palmer
Francis	lt	Pell
Brown	lg	Craig
Hale	c	Booth
Olcott	rg	Edwards, capt.
Stillman	rt	Hillebrand
Sultzer	re	Poe
Fincke	qb	Hutchinson
Sharpe	lhb	Reiter
Keane	rhb	McCord
McBride (capt.)	fb	Wheeler

As the all-important hour approached, a light wind sprang up out of the north-west. It gathered somewhat in strength and brought with it a spread of cloudiness, which became heavier and later obscured the sun. At noon the sky was overcast, but there appeared to be no indications of a storm and it seemed likely that the great game would be played under weather conditions similar to those prevailing for the Yale-Harvard game at Cambridge last week with the temperature a trifle lower than that of last Saturday. It did not interfere with the crowds however, and at 12.30 the spectators began to journey to the field.

At 1.45 p. m., the crowd was pouring into the stands which were well filled. The colors made a fine picture. Yale blue predominated but there was a good sprinkling of Princeton yellow and here and there a dash of Harvard crimson. The Pennsylvania football team sat in a body on the east stand. The wind was strong on the northwest and cold. It blows diagonally across the field.

The Yale team came on the field at 2.30 just as the Princeton students were singing, "Here Come the Tigers." Princeton came a minute later and the Yale band played "The Bright College Years" Both teams went on the field for short practice.

Yale won the toss and took the north gale and the wind.

Princeton took the ball and Wheeler kicked off at 2.50.

McBride returned to Princeton's 30-yard line.

Princeton tried the right tackle without gain. Wheeler kicked on third down to mid-field. Sharpe got the ball. Keane fumbled and it was Princeton's ball in mid-field. McCord tried left-tackle, but made no gain. McCord gained 2 yards through Francis.

Hutchinson got the ball on a double pass and in trying to get around the end Sultjer got through and tackled Hutchinson for a loss of 10 yards. Yale got the ball on downs on Princeton's 40 yard line. Yale made 3 trials against Princeton's line without gains, and it was Princeton's ball on 40 yard line.

Wheeler went through for 3 yards. McCord made one yard. Wheeler made one yard. Wheeler kicked to Yale's 20 yard line, but the ball went outside and was brought back to Princeton's 50 yard line. Princeton was given 10 yards on Stillman's off-side play. McCord went through right-tackle for 4 yeards. Reiter, on second try, made no gain. Wheeler went through centre for 6 yards. The ball was on Yale's 40 yard line.

Reiter gained five yards around Yale's right end. Reiter ran around Yale's right-end to Yale's 3 yard line. Yale held on the first down.

Princeton gained one yard on the second down. Reiter scored for Princeton around Yale's right-end. Score:

Princeton 5; Yale 0.

Wheeler punted into Hutchinson directly in front of goal at 15 yard line. Wheeler kicked the goal, and the Princeton stands sang "Old Nassau."

The score: Princeton 6 Yale 0.

Francis kicked off for Yale to Princeton's 5 yard line. McCord carried it back 5 yards. Reiter carried it one yard. Wheeler carried it 4 yards. McCord made no gain. Wheeler kicked to Princeton's 45 yard line. Sharpe caught it and advanced 2 yards. It was Yale's ball on Princeton's 43 yard line. Sharpe made no gain on first down.

No gain was made on the second down. McBride kicked to Princeton's 10-yard line. It was Yale's ball on Wheeler's fumble. Sultjer fell on the ball on Princeton's 10-yard line.

On a close formation Keane made 3 yards. Princeton held Yale with no gain and it was Princeton's ball on downs at her own 5-yard line. Reiter went around Yale's right end to 20-yard line. Wheeler kicked to Princeton's 48-yard line. Fincke caught the ball but Poe downed him. Sharpe made 4 yards through right tackle. McBride made 3 yards. It was Yale's ball on Princeton's 40-yard line. The Princeton stands sang and then cheered. McBride made 2 yards through right tackle.

Princeton lost the ball on downs on her 35 yard line. Wheeler kicked to Yale's 45 yard line. While waiting for the players to be on side, Poe fell on the ball, and it was Princeton's ball.

Hildebrand tried Yale's end without a gain.

Wheeler went through the centre for 2 yards. Wheeler kicked to Yale's 10 yard line, and Fincke carried it back 5 yards

McBride kicked to Princeton's 28 yard line, and Hutchinson ran back to the 43 yard line.

It was Princeton's ball on her own 10 yard line.

Wheeler kicked to Yale's 12 yard line, and Sharpe caught the ball. McBride kicked to Princeton's 5 yard line.

Hutchinson received the kick and assisted by Poe carried it back five yards.

It was Princeton's ball on her own 10 yard line.

YALE SCORES.

Reiter gained 2 yards around right-end. No gain was made around left end. Wheeler's kick was blocked and the ball went behind the goal line where McBride fell on it, scoring a touchdown for Yale. Score, Princeton 6, Yale 5.

Brown blocked the kick, and the touchdown was credited to McBride. Brown failed to kick the goal.

Score:—Princeton, 6; Yale, 5.

Wheeler kicked off to Yale's 20-yard line. McBride returned the kick to Princeton's 30-yard line. Reiter went through right-tackle for one yard. Wheeler went through centre for 3 yards. McCord went through centre for 5 yards. It was Princeton's ball on her own 40-yard line.

McCord failed to gain

On the third down Wheeler kicked to Yale's 40-yard line. Sharpe caught the ball and gained one yard. McBride kicked over Princeton's goal line. Wheeler kicked to mid-field and Sharpe carried it back 12 yards. Keane then gained 2 yards and Sharpe made 2 more.

Sharpe gained one yard more, and it was Yale's ball on Princeton's 35-yard line.

Gordon Brown gained one yard. Keane tried the center without gain. Sharpe kicked goal from the field, on a drop kick from Princeton's 25-yard line.

Score:—Yale 10; Princeton, 6.

Wheeler kicked off to Yale's 10-yard line. McBride returned to Princeton's 40-yard line. On the next line-up Wheeler went through the center for 2 yards.

Reiter went through the center to Princeton's 52-yard line.

Wheeler went through center for 7 yards.

Reiter went around Yale's right-hand to Yale's 35-yard line where the half ended.

Score:—Yale 10; Princeton, 6.

SECOND HALF.

Richards took Keane's place at right half. Francis kicked off to Princeton's 10-yard line. McCord ran it back 35 yards, but the ball went back to midfield on offside plays and then Yale was penalized for four yards. Francis kicked off again to Princeton's 15-yard line.

Hillebrand ran to the 35-yard line where he fumbled and Hubbell fell on the ball. On Yale's try at left-end no gain was made.

On the next try at right end by Richards, Yale lost one yard. Sharpe kicked over Princeton goal line. It was a try for goal from field. Wheeler kicked over Yale's goal line from Princeton's 15-yard line. McBride on 20-yard line kicked to Yale's 43-yard line. Hillebrand gained 10 yards. McCord tried the centre without gain. Reiter gained one yard around Yale's right end. Wheeler kicked over Yale's goal line. Instead of kicking McBride accepted the chance of taking 25 yards and the ball was given to Richardson at the 25-yard line and put into play. On the first down on an attempt at Princeton's right end, Yale lost 5 yards.

On the third down, McBride kicked to Princeton's 46-yard line. On the down Wheeler kicked over Yale's goal to Princeton's 45-yard line.

McBride punted to Yale's 52 yard line. Bell advanced it 10 yards, and it was Princeton's ball on Yale's 43 yard line.

Reiter ran around Yale's right-end for 12 yards.

McCord gained 3 yards. Palmer gained one yard around Yale's end.

Princeton was then given 10 yards for off-side play and Hillebran tried the left for no gain.

Reiter gained one yeard through the right tackle.

Reiter tried again to go around the right-end without gain. The ball went to Yale on her 15 yard line.

McBride gained 3 yards around Princeton's left-end. Francis made 2 more through left-tackle. McBride then made 2 more.

Gould took Sultjer's place at right-end.

McBride kicked into the east stand on the third down and Princeton got the ball on Yale's 28-yard line.

Reiter went through the center for 4 yards. Princeton gained one more yard. On Princeton's try at Yale's right end she lost 4 yards.

Craig was hurt and Mills took his place.

It was Princeton's ball on Yale's 30-yard line.

On a fake kick Hutchinson took the ball and was downed on Yale's 43-yard line.

The ball was given to Yale.

Richards' attempt at right-end brought no gain. The next attempt at the line netted 2 yards. Yale gained 3 yards. There was a question of distance and the referee measured the distance gained.

He decided that Yale had not made the distance and it was Princeton's ball on Yale's 45-yard line.

Roper took Palmer's place at left-end.

McCord went around the left-end and made 3 yards.

On the next play the ball was given to Yale for holding in the line.

Yale got the ball on her own 42-yard line. Lloyd took Hillebrand's place at right tackle. Stillman gained one yard. Burke took Hutchinson's place at quarterback. Sharpe gained 4 yards and Richards gained 3 yards. Booth was hurt but resumed play.

Princeton got the ball on a fumble. Booth fell on the ball. Booth was hurt again and Bannard took his place at center. Princeton fumbled. Sharpe falling on the ball. McBride kicked to Princeton's 30-yard line. Wheeler caught the ball and advanced three yards. Wheeler kicked to Yale's 32-yard line. Richards caught it and advanced 5 yards.

Sharpe tried at the center for two yards, and McBride added 2 yards more.

Then McBride gained the necessary one yard.

Sharpe gained 4 yards, but the ball went to Princeton on a fumble.

Wheeler punted to Yale's 15 yard line; Sharpe fumbled but recovered, and carried it back 7 yards.

It was Yale's ball on her own 32 yard line.

Richards gained 2 yards through right-tackle, and Stillman gained five yards through the same place.

McBride made 3 yards through Princeton's right guard.

There was much delay owing to slight injuries to players.

McClave took Reiter's place at right half.

Stillman made no gain at right-end.

McBride made 3 yards through center, and it was Yale's ball on her own 35 yard line.

Sharpe made 2 yards through right-tackle, and Stillman added two yards more.

On the third down with one yard to gain, McBride fumbled and the ball rolled back to Yale's 45-yard line, where Roper fell on it. On the first line-up McClave made 5 yards.

It was Princeton's ball on Yale's 40-yard line.

Mattis took Wheeler's place at full-back. McClave went through the center to Yale's 32-yard line. Mattis gained 3 yards.

Lathrop replaced McCord at left-half. McClave went through Yale's 32 yard line.

On the first down the ball went to Yale's 25 yard line, where Poe kicked a goal from the field on a drop kick.

Score—Princeton 11; Yale 10.

The Princeton stand simply went crazy and the students swarmed on to the field and hoisted their players into the air. The policemen cleared the field and then the Princeton players executed a war dance. On the line-up Francis kicked off for Yale to Princeton's 25-yard line where Mattis caught and time was called.

Princeton won. Score: Princeton 11; Yale 10.

DAMAGED BY FIRE.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

CALAIS, Me., Nov. 25.—The costly residence of M. Silverstone here, was badly damaged by fire this morning. The fire caught on the roof from a burning chimney and quickly spread to the interior, which is practically ruined. The total loss is $10,000.

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THE SUN EXTRA

KHALIFA KILLED

The Dervishes Defeated in Great Battle

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Thousands of the Enemy Surrendered

By Associated Press to The Sun.

CAIRO, Nov. 25.—Lord Cromer, the British minister here, has received the following dispatch from General Kitchener:

"Wingate's force came up with the Khalifa's force seven miles southeast of Hodd and attacked it. After a sharp fight he took his position. The Khalifa, who was surrounded by a body guard of Emirs, was killed, and all the principal Emirs were killed or captured, except Osman Digna, who escaped."

The Dervishes were utterly defeated, their whole camp was taken and thousands surrendered. A large number of women, children and cattle also fell into the hands of the Anglo-Egyptian force.

If the Khalifa referred to as having been killed in battle is Abdulla el Taishi, the great chieftain of the Soudan, who has given the British army so much trouble, it may be said that the power of the Dervishes is completely crushed. He was one of the three Kalifas or heads of leading Arab tribes, who, in 1882, helped the famous Mahdi to overthrow the government of Egypt in the eastern Soudan and establish the despotism of the Mahdi in its place. Abdulla, however, has been reported killed on several occasions although the reports have been subsequently denied. At the battle of Omdurman, September 2, General Kitchener defeated the forces of the Khalifa with tremendous slaughter, but the Khalifa with his Emeers and Osman Digna, the most famous of the Soudanese generals, escaped and have since been fugitives.

MEDALS OF HONOR.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

VINEYARD HAVEN, Mass., Nov. 25.—Five Marthas Vineyard Haven men have been presented gold medals awarded by the United States government for bravery and heroism in rescuing 15 lives in Vineyard Haven harbor during the hurricane on November 27, 1898, when more than 40 vessels were wrecked.

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People Resort to Clever Advertising Schemes—English Officers Aghast at Queen's Christmas Gifts

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LONDON, Nov. 25.—Among the serious minded, conservative English people there is a growing feeling of disgust at the spread of the nauseating namby-pambyism which finds an excuse in the war. The hysterical outbreak which has ensued since "Tommy Atkins" and his officer became a full fledged society craze has already been the subject of satirical articles in the better class of British publications and now all signs point to a reaction from that unreasoning enthusiasm which is responsible for so many undignified antics. Never were the old English army officers so aghast as when they read of the Queen's decision to send a box of chocolate to each man in the field as a Christmas present. Compared with her simple speeches at her farewells to the troops this announcement appeared as a sudden descent from the sublime to the ridiculous. On top of this came the heroic accounts of correspondent Churchill fighting battles and commanding troops, and regular officers poured in letters to the papers protesting against this. Though not belittling Churchill's personal bravery in this Natal campaign, an officer was obliged to tell Churchill that his help was not needed to command a company. Other instances of this young cex-officer's readiness to interfere have been printed since the glowing accounts of the armored train affair. While it is pointed out that he does not deserve good treatment from the Boers, having violated the usages of war, the report of his expected release is contrasted with the alleged action of the French and Germans who, it is claimed, during the war of 1870, shot all non-combatants found carrying arms.

While the big West End caterers are busy shipping hundreds of cases of champagne and Pate De Foi ras to the regimental messes in South Africa, society women are working feverishly, making plum puddings for these unmaking plum puddings for these contain costly jewelry, tie-pins, rings and other mementoes from admiring women. Lady Colin-Campbell has made no fewer than 106 plum puddings for the Dublin Fusiliers, and several puddings have been sent to Winston Churchill, addressed to Pretoria. Though the majority of such efforts are doubtless prompted by genuine patriotism and a desire to alleviate the sufferings of the soldiers, the charitable movement is taken advantage of by notorious self-advertisers, both social and mercantile. Women who have not been received in society, in spite of the efforts of years, have been untiring in their endeavors to get publicity for their particular scheme to raise money or articles to send out to South Africa. Incidentally, it is announced that the Duke of Abercorn has ordered for the field Red Cross three hundred dozen of Messrs. So-and-so's handkerchiefs, "which are famous for their softness and delicate texture," etc., and every theatrical press agent in the country is reaping harvests by obtaining gratuitous advertisements from hitherto unheard of actors and actresses who are willing to recite a war poem or do a turn to help the war funds. This, of course, scarcely applies to the few leaders of the profession who originated the idea of an American quota of charity, a movement which culminated in Mrs. Brown Potter's The Chantant, though the latter has not escaped criticism. The Times set the example by giving it a meagre and uncomplimentary report in its news column and since then several society and other papers have referred satirically at the excesses which marked the tipping and other methods employed at the entertainment to raise funds. The amount of advertising some theatrical nonentities have secured is not excused even by the presence of royalties. Many prominent members of the American colony here freely express in private conversation their disappointment and stronger feelings at the proceedings of this performance. Mr. Joseph H. Choate, the United States ambassador, was placed in an awkward position by finding, upon his arrival here, that he was apparently actively associated with The Chantant's management. One individual was officially discountenanced by the embassy, and the same was the case with several others who, though known in the London papers as Americans, are not claimed as such by the various ambassadors or are not received in New York society.

On the other hand the hospital ship Princess of Wales, fitted up at the instigation and with the personal supervision of the member of the royal family after whom she was named, was done quietly and is now ready to sail. A great part of the cost was borne by the Princess' own pocket but its complete control is given to the army medical department.

A rumor has been printed that the long-existing and strong family friendship between Joseph Chamberlain and Sir Alfred Milner may culminate in their becoming brothers-in-law. But a representative of the Associated Press learns that Mr. Chamberlain has only one sister and she is married. So, unless Sir Alfred Milner weds a sister of Mr. Chamberlain's former wives, it is hard to see how the tie can be effected.

M. A. P. (Mainly About People) is authority for the statement that Gen. Kitchener, before leaving England recently made a strenuous attempt to obtain the supreme command in South Africa, but was refused on account of his junior rank and lack of knowledge of South African conditions. A cabinet minister is quoted as saying relative to General Kitchener's request:

"Why, when he got to Pretoria, the man might actually send Kruger's head to Madame Tussaud's."

WINGATE'S FORCE.

A letter from an officer at Omdurman says that Wingate's force which recently defeated the dervishes near the Nile, south of Khartoum, consisted of five squadrons of cavalry, two infantry brigades, two howitzers, ten maxim guns and 1,000 camels. The letter adds:

"We shall have to attack the Khalifa this winter. There is no probability of his attacking Omdurman. But he will do his utmost to create risings and will attempt a raid along the west bank of the White Nile. He is known to have 3,500 rifle men, 7,000 spearmen and more cavalry. These are reported to be full of fanatical zeal. We shall probably find our chief losses due to fever, scarcity of water, and the cattle-fly. But I assure you that when we begin the Khalifa will be vigorously pursued, to prevent his doing any more harm among the scattered dervishes in South Darfur."

YACHTING SEASON.

The next yachting season promises to be the best in many years. It is now definitely said that the Valkyrie III. will be recommissioned by her prospective new owner to whom Lord Dunraven is arranging to sell her. Lord Dunraven, by the way, was anxious to represent a London Daily in South Africa, but his physician forbid it and a younger Gay earl has represented the Daily Telegraph in Africa.

Mr. Charles Day Rose's new boat, is bigger and more comfortably fitted than any racer on this side of the Atlantic, though similar in lines to the Columbia. When the Columbia comes over here, if she does make the trip, she will find the Shamrock, Distant Shore, Valkyrie III., Meteor II. and Britannia ready to contest against her in behalf of Europe.

Captain Hogarth is quoted as saying that under English weather conditions, the Shamrock would give the Columbia a much harder tussle.

Mrs. Goelet's Nahma is being repaired on the Clyde and is fitting for a Mediterranean cruise.

DEATHS.

WITHERELL—Sidney Witherell, aged 25 years, died at St. John's hospital yesterday. He lived at 8 Cambridge street and was an employe of the Boston and Maine railroad company.

WRIGHT —Mrs. Judith W. Wright, ber 24, aged 86 years, at the residence widow of Joel H. Wright, died November of her son-in-law, Rufus O. Adams, 15 Twelfth street. She had been in feeble health for the last eight years. She leaves two daughters, Mrs. Adams and Mrs. Ella Simmons.

TREMBLEY—Leon Trembley, aged 84 years, died yesterday morning at his late residence, 502 Market street.

MORSE—Loretta May, aged 2 years, 6 months and 2 days, daughter of William J. and Esther H. Morse, died yesterday morning at the home of her parents, 210 Boylston street.

BROWN—John, aged 1 year and 6 months, son of John and Nellie Brown, died this morning at the home of his parents, 17 Bolton place, off Franklin street. The funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock.

SCOTT—Ray, aged 4 years and four months, child of Frank and Martha Scott, died this morning at the home of his parents, 6 Hereford place, off Marshall street.

BROKE HIS ANKLE

THOMAS SCANNEL GOT HIS FOOT CAUGHT IN A STEP.

This morning at about half past six the ambulance was summoned to the rear of 129 East Merrimack street, where a man named Thomas Scannel, residing at 129 Colburn street, in coming down a flight of steps got his foot caught in a hole, throwing him with considerable force to the ground. He was taken to St. John's hospital, where it was found that his ankle was broken. His ankle was dressed by the doctors in attendance, and at the time of going to press he was resting comfortably.

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If your blood is impure you may "work on" but you cannot even "think of ease." The blood is the greatest sustainer of the body and when you make it pure by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla you have the perfect health in which even hard work becomes ease.

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NEVER DISAPPOINTS

Hood's Pills cure liver ills, the non-irritating and only cathartic to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

ADVANCE ON DEC. 11

Fall River River Operatives Win a Great Victory

In Securing an Increase at the Time Fixed by Them—A Compromise That Averts the Danger of a Strike

By Associated Press to The Sun.

FALL RIVER, Nov. 25.—As a result of the conference yesterday afternoon between the representatives of the manufacturers and the labor organizations an agreement was reached which will probably settle any further controversy of the wage question for the next six months and possibly lead to the adoption of a plan later on which in its operations will provide for future changes in the wage schedule without any of the friction and disturbing features that are incident to the periodical agitation of that subject under existing conditions and practices.

The conclusion reached today is in the nature of a compromise in which each side has yielded something material to the other from its original demand.

The operatives consent to a modification of their claim for a 10 per cent. advance to one of 5 per cent., while the manufacturers retreat from their former position in refusing to concede any increase.

Both sides agree that wages shall not be disturbed before July 1, 1900, and that work on a sliding scale shall begin immediately and be settled within 60 days previous to July 1, 1900.

The conference lasted three hours. The discussion was for the most part over the amount of increase to be granted. In the end the following agreement was drawn up and signed by the secretaries of the unions and by the manufacturers:

"It is agreed to recommend to our respective organization an advance of wages of 5 per cent. on Dec. 11, 1899. No change in wages is to be made thereafter before July 1, 1900, and the sliding scale shall be immediately taken up and settled within 60 days previous to July 1, 1900."

When the conference opened the operatives told the manufacturers that they could not accept the proposition made at the last conference, that they could not bind themselves to accept any sliding scale until the wage question was first settled.

The manufacturers, after a long discussion made a proposition to advance wages 5 per cent. on Jan. 1st, unconditionally, but with the understanding that a sliding scale would afterward be considered and adopted.

The operatives retired and considered this proposition. They returned and offered a counter proposition, making the date at which the advance should go into effect Dec. 11th, instead of Jan. 1st, and changing the date at which wages could be advanced again to April instead of July. The idea was to make the changes in the scale of wages come in April and October, instead of January and July.

The manufacturers would not agree to this; they wanted wages fixed at this time, so the scale would last until July; they thought April would be too soon to make a change again.

The operatives then asked that the date at which the advance should go into effect be changed to Dec. 11, instead of Jan. 1, and after the manufacturers had retired and reconsidered this for some time they returned and offered the agreement above, which was signed.

The labor men held out for a long time for a 10 per cent. advance to take effect Dec. 11, but the manufacturers refused to grant a 10 per cent. advance. They plainly told the union men that they would stand a strike rather than submit to this demand.

There was a great deal of sparring on this point, but it always came out that way.

When the final proposition was submitted the manufacturers said this was the last concession they would make; it was a case of take it or leave it.

The delegates of the textile council considered it wise to agree to recommend that it be accepted. They felt that they had gained a considerable concession when they had the date of the advance changed from Jan. 1 to Dec. 11. This means that at least $30,000 will go into the pockets of the operatives as a Christmas present, for the operatives will get three weeks more of the 5 per cent advance than they would if the advance did not go into effect until Jan. 1, and 5 per cent of the payroll for three weeks amounts to about $30,000.

The manufacturers' association and the several labor organizations will now be asked to ratify this agreement. If they do, and it is probable they will, the incident will be closed and the new schedule will go into effect at the time named.

At a meeting of the textile council last night which lasted two hours, the report of the committee of five in consultation with the manufacturers yesterday afternoon was accepted with a vote of thanks.

A motion was carried with but one dissenting vote to recommend to the respective unions the advisability of accepting the manufacturers' offer. It was voted to recommend to the unions to meet simultaneously next Friday night and take action.

The council adjourned last night subject to a call of the president.

MATRIMONIAL.

Mr. James T. Sullivan of Lowell and Miss Delia E. Sexton, formerly of Lowell, were united in matrimony on Wednesday last at Hull, Rev. Fr. Roach performing the ceremony. The best man was Mr. Clement McGowan and the bride was attended by her cousin, Miss Katie Gallagher of Lowell. Friends were present from New York, Boston and Lowell. Many beautiful presents were received by the happy couple, who will reside in Hull.

DEVLIN—DONAHUE.

Mr. John J. Devlin and Miss Elizabeth A. Donahue were united in marriage Wednesday afternoon at 4.30 o'clock at the parochial residence of St. Peter's parish by Rev. Fr. George Mullin. The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Annie T. Donahue, and the best man was Mr. Michael W. Mulcahy. A reception was held immediately after the ceremony at 58 Tyler street, where the young couple will reside upon their return from a bridal trip to Washington. Mr. Devlin is a popular member of the Y. M. C. I. of Belvidere.

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Central and Middle Sts.

NAVY YARD FIRE

Destroyed an Historic Building

AT THE NAVY YARD THIS MORNING

The Loss Will Probably Exceed $100,000

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BOSTON, Nov. 25.—One of the oldest buildings in the Charlestown Navy yard, a building which has witnessed for many years, the evolution of the ship building art, was reduced to a smouldering pile by fire this morning. It was then known as the "Plater's building," which, back in the early 70's was known as the "Bending mill."

About 8 o'clock this morning, Fireman William A. Perry, hearing an explosion, rushed out of the steam engineering building nearby and saw smoke rolling from out the platers' building. He immediately sounded an alarm which was followed 10 minutes later by a second alarm.

In the meantime, however, the Navy yard contingent had by no means been idle. The bugle sent the "Fire Call" echoing through the great yard and in answer thereto, the Marine battalion stationed at the barracks and sailors from the Wabash and the Machias came tumbling out, ready for fire duty. They worked with a will and assisted the firemen to a considerable degree.

The building is a two and a half story wooden structure, 150 feet long and 70 feet wide, with an annex 100x50 and situated near the old ship buildings.

The fire was a stubborn one at first and threatened to spread to adjoining structures. In fact, several of them caught fire but through energetic work the flames were confined to the original building.

This, as has been stated was totally destroyed, and the valuable machinery which it contained, is practically ruined. The loss is estimated at between $75,000 and $100,000. No insurance was carried either on the burned structure or on the machinery, so that the loss will be total.

The fire boat Engine No. 44 poured tons of water into the fire and greatly aided progress of the blaze, an immense cloud of black smoke settled over the harbor, giving basis to rumors that the greater part of the yard was being consumed

BIG STRIKE EXPECTED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

OMAHA, Neb., Nov. 25.—Indications are that every union job printer, pressman, press-feeder and book binder here, aggregating about 250 men, will strike next Monday. The trouble lies in the nine-hour day agreement, which is due to go into effect on that day.

REP. CANDIDATES

HAD HARMONY BOTTLED AND ON THE SHELL AT SEN. PUTNAM'S.

Senator Putnam last night held the second in the series of harmony dinners at his home in Centralville. Those present were Messrs. Hayes, Wilson, Bennett, Rose, Poore and others, and the "and others" in this case were quite numerous, for Put. as the candidate could hardly risk being as exclusive as Mr. Rose. Plans of campaign were arranged and every one told how much he would work for the ticket. All hatchets were buried—with the handles protruding from the ground for an emergency. It has been suggested that by the time the candidates get through with their harmony dinners and school boy trips to Boston, they'll be in condition to "write the doctor" rather than Mr. Rose, for there'll be a most painful lack of harmony in their midsts.

SCHOONER SUNK

WAS RUN DOWN BY UNKNOWN BOAT.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW LONDON, Conn., Nov. 25.—The schooner Lillie A. Warford, Captain Handy, Edgewater, N. J., for Marion, Mass., with 250 tons of coal, was run into by an unknown three-masted schooner, near Faulkner's Island, during the night and sank. Captain Handy and four men took yawl boat and were picked up by schooner Frank Leaming, Captain Campbell, bound for this port and brought in here this morning. Captain Handy stated that the boat that sunk his vessel paid no attention to the signals of distress but left him and his crew to their fate. The Warford's top-masts are about 12 feet out of water. An attempt will be made to float the schooner.

Now is the time when the office-holders are figuring out their chances for re-election and sizing up the strength of the tickets.

LIQUOR SEIZURE

A Bartender Caught Well Loaded

WITH BOTTLES OF WHISKEY

A Girl From Central Falls Sought Here

The saloon formerly kept by one Clark on Adams street was visited late yesterday afternoon by the liquor inspectors who caught the bartender, Daniel Clark with whiskey in his possession. When the inspectors arrived the bartender rushed to the end of the bar and seized a pint bottle almost full of whiskey but was caught before he could make away with it. When brought to the station and searched two more full pint bottles were found upon his person.

GIRL MISSING

Little Emma Burke, aged 14 years, left her happy home in Central Falls, Vt., about four weeks ago to come to Lowell to seek employment. It is not known whether she arrived here or not but her mother has not heard from her and would like to be informed as to her present whereabouts. It seems that the mother had an idea that Lowell was a small place and that she could come here and find her daughter without any trouble. She reached here yesterday and after trying in vain to gain some trace of the child, called at the police station last night to ask the assistance of the police. Any person knowing the child's whereabouts will please communicate with Mrs. Burke, 28 Robeson street, Lowell.

SMOKE STACK

TO BE ERECTED AT HUNTINGTON HALL.

The steam plant for the heating of Huntington and Jackson halls is progressing rapidly, and when completed will probably be the finest and most complete, as well as the largest, heating plant in the city. The boilers are already in position, the brick work is completed, and the boiler used is of Lowell manufacture and the largest of its kind in use. The boiler room is located immediately under the Shattuck street entrance, over which is the chimney. This is to be made of boiler plate, wrought iron, securely riveted and its total height will be sixty-five feet, with a hood attachment, and will probably be erected tomorrow. It will run up alongside of the Shattuck street entrance, and will do away with the necessity of building a brick chimney. It is considered the largest smoke stack which was ever constructed in this city.

FUNERALS.

CARPENTER—The funeral of Joseph Carpenter, child of George and Helene Carpenter, took place yesterday afternoon at 1 o'clock, from the home of his parents, 4 Merrimack avenue, off Merrimack street. Interment was in St. Joseph's cemetery, under the direction of Undertaker Archambeault.

O'NEIL—The funeral of Mrs. Mary O'Neil took place yesterday afternoon from her late residence, 86 Bowden street, and was largely attended. Services were held at the Sacred Heart church, Rev. Fr. Reynolds, O. M. I., officiating. The body was sent to Attleboro Falls for interment by Undertaker McDermott.

DUFF—The funeral of Catherine Duff will take place Monday morning at 9 o'clock from St. Peter's church.

That is all a bluff about finding a diamond pin in a turkey crop, but it is no bluff when we tell you that you can save tons of black diamonds if you had one of Gaynor & Co.'s heating stoves. Call at 35 Prescott street and get prices. We can please you.

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REV. SAMUEL MAY

FAMOUS ABOLITIONIST DIED YESTERDAY AT WORCESTER.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WORCESTER, Nov. 25.—Rev. Samuel May, the famous abolitionist, died at his home in Leicester yesterday. He would have been 90 years old next April. He was a graduate of Harvard, class of 1829.

Rev. Samuel May was born in Boston on April 11, 1810. His labors in the cause of abolition began with his ordination to the ministry in 1833.

Mayor Crowley was not at city hall today.

Secretary Courtney of the overseers of the poor is confined to his home for a few days with a severe cold. He expects to be around again Monday.

Music Hall

THURSDAY, FRIDAY AND SATURDAY AND MATINEE,

Nov. 23, 24, and 25.

A. Q. SCAMMON'S Company in the Great Success

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MONDAY, TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY AND MATINEE,

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A Twentieth Century Idea. 2 Grand Extravaganzas, "The Sousa Girls," and "A Drummer's Paradise." A decidedly new departure from the ordinary. Headed by the great act.

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Star Theatre, 812-814 Middlesex Street, THOS. H. JONES, Manager

WEEK OF NOV. 27TH.

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Sunday, Nov. 26, Odd Fellows' Hall

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7 Water Street, Boston.

NOTICE.

Lowell, Nov. 24, 1899.

There will be a meeting of farmers and milk dealers in the Board of Trade room Central Block, on Monday, Nov. 27, at 2 o'clock, p. m. All interested in the production and sale of milk are most earnestly requested to be present. Come all and bring your neighbors.

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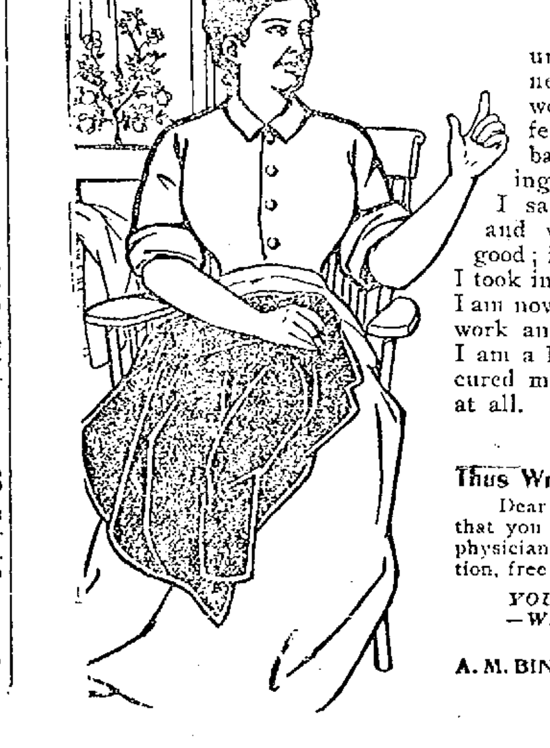

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Democratic Aldermanic Ticket is Much Stronger Than Its Rival Ticket—Purchasing Agent Barrett Has an Easy Thing

The result of the republican caucuses Thursday night practically assures the election of a majority of the board of aldermen by the democrats, provided that the democracy votes straight, for barring Charles D. Paige in ward one and George H. Taylor in ward six, it cannot show a really strong candidate. But, furthermore, Paige's strength has never been tried outside of ward one, and it is not infrequent that men strong in their respective wards come to grief when they come before the entire city. Councilman Paige, while president of the common council, showed no particular ability, but he did show a rank partisan spirit which at times rendered his judgment decidedly unfair. He knew how to choke off any democrat who desired to be heard on a popular measure and worked his method often. He may get the entire republican strength, but is doubtful if any independent or democrat will support him.

Alderman Taylor is looking for a second term, with his eye on the mayoralty. Should he be re-elected he will be in the field next year for mayor, and for that reason some of the friends of Putnam and Hayes will strive to let him down this year, for they want the field clear to themselves, the caucuses of Thursday having finally disposed of John C. Wilson.

Councilman Badger goes into the field somewhat handicapped by reason of the fact that his candidacy froze out Alderman Derby, who wanted another term. Badger did little harm and less good in the common council this year, and a chair-warming councilman rarely rises as high as the aldermanic seat.

After much sparring and tinkering, and only after the French voters of Lowell had said in unmistakable tones "Put Beaulieu on the ticket," the party managers finally consented to allow John H. Beaulieu to be a candidate for alderman from ward five. Beaulieu was cut in good style last year, and no one can discover any change in the conditions up to the present.

In ward nine the candidate is Councilman William Whittet, who got a job for his brother as superintendent of commons and then rested for the remainder of the year. The brother, is one of the most independent officials in the hall and has made some enemies who will "square" themselves by doing up the aldermanic candidate for with Whittet in the board of aldermen, the brother will remain in his berth.

The other candidates are not generally known and unknowns are undesirables.

THE PURCHASING AGENCY.

If all democratic candidates had before him no harder proposition than that which confronts Purchasing Agent Andrew E. Barrett, in the person of Virgil G. Barnard, they would indeed be fortunate, for it doesn't seem possible that the voters of a city who defeated Barnard by 840 votes would elect him again. Mr. Barnard's only recommendation for the position of purchasing agent appears to be the fact that he needs employment for, despite his extraordinary ability, he has not held any position since leaving city hall except that of an insurance agent.

Mr. Barnard's administration cannot stand a comparison with that of Mr. Barrett. The latter has satisfied all Lowell except perhaps two firms which in the vernacular "had a cinch" on city orders when Mr. Barnard was in office. Mr. Barrett's administration has been far more successful and satisfactory than that of his predecessors, as any leading business man will aver regardless of political affiliation. Mr. Barrett has divided up his smaller orders among all the business houses playing no favorites, and less business has gone out of town than in Mr. Barnard's time. Under Mr. Barrett all competitions have been absolutely fair and square, and all contracts have gone to the lowest bidders in all cases.

Another recommendation for Mr. Barrett's administration is the fine manner in which he got along with the heads of the various departments. There was no friction and doubtless they would like to see him re-elected. He was most courteous to them, supplying them with their wants in as short a time as possible. Mr. Barnard adopted a "penny wise, pound foolish" policy in dealing with the heads of departments, and while no money was saved in the long run, he made himself unpopular with those around him. The records of Mr. Barrett's office are open to inspection, and while he has not satisfied all he has satisfied more business men than did Mr. Barnard.

Mr. Barrett has conducted the affairs of the office as he would his own private affairs, and that is the secret of his successful administration.

Some people have said that such an important office as purchasing agent should only go to a man paying a substantial tax. Here again Mr. Barrett appeals most favorably to the voters. Purchasing Agent Barrett is the heaviest taxpayer in city hall. He pays a tax of $340. Thus, taking all things into consideration, it is not an exaggeration to predict that Andrew E. Barrett will be elected by a majority of 1000.

There will be great hustling among the democratic candidates for the minor offices tomorrow, for it is their last chances, as the caucuses will be held on Monday night.

Editor Sun:

In reply to my communication of Thursday, favoring the candidacy of Thomas J. Murphy for the school board in ward two, I noticed a letter in your issue of last night, signed by Mr. Daly in which that gentleman uses, in my judgment, unnecessarily strong language. As I wrote in all fairness, I think he has had no occasion to grow ugly over it. I stated that he lived outside the ward because I know that he maintains a comfortable home on Butterfield street, though it seems according to his statement that he resides at his store on Suffolk street. So much for that. Mr. Daly further states that Mr. Murphy opposed him when he had only served one term. This is true. But it is not true that Mr. Murphy opposed his second at least for election as his letter might lead some to believe. Mr. Daly having served one term sought a second one and was defeated by Mr. Mulligan. After Mr. Mulligan had served his terms, the field was open to any and all who might desire to contest and Mr. Daly, Mr. Murphy and Mr. Johnson entered as each had a right and none a superior claim. Mr. Murphy served his term with distinction and now seeks a second term. At the eleventh hour Mr. Daly has gone in against him. It would seem to me that in this case, leaving his extraordinarily fine record out of the question, Mr. Murphy still has the greater claim to the position. Hoping that ward two will return Mr. Murphy to the school board, I remain.

Respectfully,
"GOOD WILL."

In ward four it looks as if the old members would be returned to the common council, although there are many new candidates in the ward.

Thomas F. Lyons, his friends inform me, is slated a sure winner in ward two. He is a hardworking and able young man and if elected will make a good councilman.

Bernard F. Lee is another strong candidate for the council in ward two and ward two will be well represented anyway.

FOR McCABE.

Mr. Editor:—Now that the time of municipal campaign is at its height and that candidates for the councilmanic nomination are being boomed, I feel it my duty as a voter of ward five to speak of one man in many who is aspiring for said nomination and who, I feel and know, will be a credit to his constituents, if put in the council chamber. He is a man of good moral character, whose ability to fill such a position is excelled by none. He is a resident of the ward and a man who is very shrewd in looking after the affairs of his fellow voters of the ward.

I have known the young man from childhood and I have given his career a careful study up to the present time, and I must say he is not lacking one iota in what goes to make up an honorable upright young man, a man who will insist on right being right and wrong being wrong; he will prove to be a friend staunch and true to the voters of ward five if given the nomination as a councilman of the ward at the caucus on next Monday evening. The gentleman I speak of is George McCabe. Fellow voters, I appeal to you, as one of you, to put our best men to the front, give them the nomination next Monday evening and if we do this we will not fear their election.

Without a doubt they will be elected to a position which awaits them in our city council and when once there, they will look after our interests.

George McCabe is one of those kind of men and if once put there you will never have reason to regret it. Signed,

A VOTER OF WARD FIVE.

Mr. Thomas J. Murphy, candidate for the school board from ward two has issued a strong circular to the voters of his ward, reviewing his career and asking the honor of a second term. Mr. Murphy's defeat of Sweetser and Schouler on the evening drawing school committee was one of the most notable incidents of this year's deliberations.

The hustlers who are canvassing ward two in the interest of Frank E. McMahon, who is a candidate for overseer of the poor in that ward, have met with favorable responses to their solicitations and are confident that Mr. McMahon will be successful.

Lowell, Mass., Nov. 24, 1899.

Mr. Editor:

With your kind permission, I desire to take a little space to say a few words in behalf of our present councilman, Patrick H. Barry, who has stood by the working men and all the voters of ward two should stand by him. He has done more for the working man than all the rest together. Councilman Barry is a member of Court Merrimack, F. of A., of the A. O. H., of the Brewery Workmen; and of the Celtics. Thanking you for your valuable space, I am,

GUILD TIMER.

Lowell, Nov. 24, 1899.

Mr. Editor of the Lowell Sun:

The name of James E. Gorman is frequently mentioned as the most probable to receive the endorsement of the voters for overseer of the poor in ward four. Mr. Gorman is the present official and the well known shoe dealer of Gorham street. During his term as overseer, he has watched over the interests of the ward with the greatest zeal and has always treated with courtesy those who sought his aid in procuring assistance. These are the reasons for believing in Mr. Gorman's success. The people know him; he is not a new man to them and in looking over the list of candidates, it is only one conclusion for those who wish to have the most capable man represent them, namely, to re-endorse the name of Mr. James E. Gorman for overseer of the poor.

Yours respectfully,
CROSBY STREET.

Mr. Editor:

Please allow me space in your paper to say a few words in regard to Councilman John F. Dillon, candidate for second term as councilman from Ward 5. He has held the office in the past with credit to himself and satisfaction to his constituents. He is a man who has the reputation of being perfectly straight-forward in all his political dealings and I think the voters of ward five will do well by giving him a rousing vote at the caucus on Monday night.

WARD FIVE.

Editor Sun:

I am a voter of ward 2 who has no choice of candidates, but, judging from what I have read and heard, I believe that the soldier candidate, Joseph P. Meehan, is the man most fitted to represent the ward in the next city council. Unlike most candidates, Mr. Meehan is very modest in bestowing praise upon himself. He prefers to let his friends extol his good qualities.

In him can be found the makings of a man who will stand as firm by the standards of democracy as he withstood the march across the Island of Porto Rico, when he remained one of the few soldiers which comprised a grand fragment of a once brave regiment.

He is a young man who was born and has always resided in the ward. He attended the Green grammar and the Lowell high school. In the neighborhood in which he resides there cannot be found a person who has anything but a good word for Joe. For these reasons I believe Mr. Meehan to be the man most capable to represent the ward in the next council.

A SUN READER.

Editor of The Sun: If you will kindly allow me a little space in your valuable paper I shall endeavor to show to the voters of ward four where it will be for their interest to renominate and elect Councilman Michael J. Markham. Ward four and so may be it said of old ward three has sent some of the ablest and best representatives and exponents of democracy that have ever had seats in our city government. But the voters have never sent one yet who was any truer than the one whom I have already mentioned, and for whom this communication is intended. He is a gentleman who can be approached by any one, no matter how humble in life. He makes no distinction and is always ready to do a favor if within his power. He has been in every respect a credit to those whom he represents and has always been on the lookout for the best interests of his ward. There has not been an improvement carried for the ward with which he is not in some way or other identified and there are many of them. It was through his efforts that Winter street was extended and there is no one knows that any better than the people of that district. Then again it may be said that it was he who had the trees removed from the south common ball grounds. It was he who did most to have Gorham street paved as a member of the committee on appropriations. When the rest of the committee wanted to drop the appropriation he stood up and fought for it and won. It is to him the credit for the present system of assessors belongs. Every reader of The Sun remembers the investigation and the result. The committee consisted of two democrats and three republicans. The republicans were unanimous on their report and agreed to clean out the whole office. The two democrats differed with them and had a report each. Councilman Markham's report was known as the minority report. Neither was adopted until Alderman Dinon took up the matter and the result was that Markham's report or the ideas contained therein was the one that was adopted. He has been tendered a vote of thanks by the Central Labor union in May, 1898, for the manner in which he tried to guard the interest of the citizens of Lowell against contract labor from employing outside laborers who were not citizens of Lowell. He has voted for all measures that were of interest to the working man and there is one thing that he may feel proud of, that he is respected by his political enemies and looked upon as a hard one to run up against and the result is that whenever he puts in a resolution or order it goes through and he generally gains his point. He is a ready debater and has been gifted with good common sense. He is looked upon as the right man in the right place. It was he who by his able parliamentary tactics when all seemed to be lost, gained the election of Francis M. Fagan as city messenger. He was honored by his fellow democrats as their choice for president of the common council and made the opposition center on one to defeat him. He is in every respect the true type of the young democracy and one whom the voters of ward four may well feel proud of and the only way in which they can show him their respect is to attend the caucuses next Monday night and see that the name of Michael J. Markham is crossed on their ballot.

WARD FOUR.

Editor Sun

I would like to add my endorsement to the candidacy of Matthew Coupe for the overseer of the poor in ward two. As there are but a few days left for the candidates to approach the voters for the caucus Monday evening, I have known Mr. Coupe for a number of years and always found him a business man in the democratic ranks in the past as well as at the present time. Mr. Coupe never before aspired for any office, but his opponents have come before us upon many occasions. Therefore, you should lay by those men who come before us so often and give some one else a chance. Mr. Coupe, if elected, is well qualified for the position. He is a man who understands the needs of the poor. At the present time Mr. Coupe runs a boarding house upon the Merrimack corporation, and has done so for years. He is very popular amongst the fraternal organizations, being a past chief ranger of Court Wamesit, No. 51, F. of A., a member of the Royal Arcanum and the I. O. O. F. organization. I shall, therefore, close by asking the voters of ward two when they go to the polls on Monday to see that they put a cross against the name of Matthew Coupe for overseer of the poor of ward two.

J. J. M.

GEN. WOOD

COMING HOME TO ACQUAINT McKINLEY WITH CUBAN AFFAIRS.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 25.—The war department has been advised that the transport McPherson sailed from Santiago with General Leonard Wood aboard. The officials of the war department from the secretary down refuse to make any statement as to the meaning of the visit of General Wood to Washington at this time. It is beyond question, however, that it is the purpose of the president to advise with General Wood upon Cuban affairs in order to strengthen his hands in dealing with that subject before congress. Also it is not to be doubted that the name of the general has been under consideration in connection with the civil administration of the affairs of the whole or part of Cuba, when the change is made from a military to a civil form of government. This is not necessarily an indication that he has been selected for such a post, for it is equally true that the names of General Ludlow and of General Wilson have also been considered. General Ludlow preceded General Wood to Washington and now it appears likely that General Wilson will also be invited to come to the capital so that the president will be personally acquainted with the qualifications of the three officers who have been looked upon as making up the limit of choice in the civil governorship.

A REASON FOR IT.

There Is Only One Pile Cure That Has Reached a National Popularity and Reputation.

There are many popular medicines that are known in every household in America.

There are blood purifiers, nerve tonics, headache remedies, dyspepsia cures and cough cures, which are sold in every drug store in the nation and beyond.

But all of these must divide their popularity with many rivals, no one remedy has the field to itself with the single exception of pile cures for it is a singular fact that there is but one pile cure that can be considered as having a national reputation, without a rival and the one referred to is the Pyramid Pile Cure which for seven years has steadily worked into the public favor by reason of its extraordinary merit until it is known from Maine to California and from Manitoba to the gulf.

It is true there are many pile remedies having a small local reputation for a year or two but the Pyramid Pile Cure has rapidly supplanted them all and really has the field to itself when anything like national popularity is considered.

The explanation is simple. It is because piles is in no sense an imaginary trouble that a bread pill or a simple salve or ointment will cure but an obstinate, painful and often dangerous trouble and a remedy to give satisfaction must possess positive and very apparent merit. A person suffering from piles will not experiment for months with a remedy; it must give relief and a cure in short order or it is condemned.

The worst cases of piles are relieved on the first application of the Pyramid and a cure will result in a reasonable time from its regular use.

Medical men use it in preference to operations because it is safer. It is perfectly painless and the cost to the patient is a mere trifle as all druggists sell the Pyramid Pile Cure at 50c. and as it is used at night, it cures without interfering with regular occupation.

If suffering from any form of piles, bleeding, itching or protruding, a trial of the Pyramid will cure you and add another to its thousands of friends.

EDMUND B. O'KENNEDY, IRISH PATRIOT JUST RELEASED FROM AN ENGLISH PRISON.

O'KENNEDY IN BOSTON.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BOSTON, Nov. 25.—Edmund B. O'Kennedy, better known as "Featherstone," a nom-de-plume he assumed while in Ireland in 1883 and who was recently liberated from an English prison where he served nearly sixteen years for being connected with the Irish political movement is now visiting friends in this city and is receiving considerable attention from those who sympathize with him for the long term of imprisonment he endured. Mr. O'Kennedy left this country in 1883 for Ireland where he had not visited for many years and while in Cork it came to his notice that he was being shadowed and to avoid annoyance in his visit to his native land he was obliged to assume the name of Featherstone. He tells a harrowing tale of experience in English prisons.

FR. McKENNA

LECTURED TO SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHERS OF ST. PETER'S CHURCH.

A meeting of the Sunday school teachers of St. Peter's church was held Thursday evening at the fair hall. Rev. John McKenna delivered a lecture on Joan of Arc which was very interesting and was thoroughly enjoyed by the young ladies. After the lecture a literary program was enjoyed, including piano selections by Miss Mary Murray; vocal solos, Miss Katharine Kelley and readings by Miss Mary Crane.

The next meeting will be held on Wednesday evening, December 6, when the young ladies will enjoy ice cream and a social time.

NEW FIRM.

Meehan & Co., hat manufacturers, are located at No. 7 Merrimack, where they are showing a large line of fine and medium grade of men's hats. They also make hats to order to fit any head. High class repairing. Hats cleaned while you wait.

FAREWELL RECEPTION

TO MISS PERRAULT AT NORTH CHELMSFORD.

A farewell reception was tendered to Miss Minnie Perrault, a popular young lady of the Bon Marche, who is soon to leave for Chicago where she will make her future home, at her home, 25 West Third street last evening. A pleasing musical program was enjoyed. It included piano solos by Miss Montmarquette; vocal solos by Misses Hortense Lamire and Baril; comic song, Mr. Parker; vocal duet, Mr. and Mrs. Eloi Perrault; vocal solo, Master Arthur Walker; violin duet, Messrs. Hamber and Duclos. Dancing was enjoyed during the evening and refreshments were served by Mrs. Merrill and Mrs. H. Walker. Everyone had an enjoyable time.

PRIZE WINNERS.

The following is a list of the prize winners at the Lowell lodge whist tournament:

First prize, gentlemen, Clinton P. Tuttle, silk umbrella; first, ladies' prize, Gertrude Copeland, pair of kid gloves; gentlemen's consolation prize, Albert Smith, silk necktie; ladies' consolation prize, Rachel Smith, toilet water.

INTER-CLUB GAMES.

The tournament play between the Alpines and Knights of Columbus last night resulted as follows: Pool—K. of C., 2; Alpines, 2. Whist—K of C., 10; Alpines, 6. Forty-five—K. of C., 9; Alpines, 7.

SONS ARRESTED

ON SUSPICION OF CAUSING FATHER'S DEATH.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BOSTON, November 25.—About 11.30 yesterday morning Timothy Casey, aged 75, was found in a tenement on the third floor of the house at 146 Medford street, Charlestown, with his face, hands and shoulders severely burned. The police ambulance was sent for and on its arrival Mr. Casey walked, with assistance down one flight of stairs. He was then laid on the stretcher and carried to the ambulance. When the ambulance started on its way to the hospital, it was found that the man was dead.

The body was taken to undertaking rooms on Howard street and the medical examiner notified.

When the report was made at station 15, a detail of police was sent to the house, and Timothy and Cornelius Casey, sons of the dead man, were placed under arrest to await the medical examiner's finding. Two other tenants, Mrs. Rufus H. Sarbird and Mr. Carroll were also taken to the station as witnesses.

It is stated that on Thursday night there was a row in the Casey household, during which a lighted lamp was thrown at Mr. Casey. Mr. Carroll stated to the police that he opened the door of Mr. Casey's room on hearing outcries and saw one of the sons kick his father.

Cornelius is sometimes employed as a longshoreman.

Mr. Casey, the father had the reputation of being a hard-working man and was well known in the vicinity of Charlestown Neck.

A. A. Farland of New York, phenomenal banjoist; Walter Eccles of Boston, humorist, at Stratton's concert, next Wednesday evening. Seats at Ellingwood's now.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, } ss.
LUCAS COUNTY.

FRANK J. CHENEY makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. CHENEY & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE.

FRANK J. CHENEY.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A.D. 1886.

{SEAL} A. W. GLEASON, Notary Public.

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Hale's Honey of Horehound and Tar is a medicine that has long been tested in private practice. Sold by druggists generally.

Pike's Toothache Drops cure in one minute.

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The laundress is sure of satisfactory results in her work if she uses Ivory Soap. Linens are of immaculate whiteness; no dirt or streaks anywhere. There's no room for criticism in the work when brought home. Ivory Soap is cheaper than common soaps in the end.

A WORD OF WARNING.—There are many white soaps, each represented to be "just as good as the 'Ivory';" they ARE NOT, but like all counterfeits, lack the peculiar and remarkable qualities of the genuine. Ask for "Ivory" Soap and insist upon getting it.

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POLICIES ARE HERE

Covenant Mutual Benefit Association in Trouble

COMMISSIONERS PROD MANAGEMENT

The Association Has Business in This City

It is said that there are several hundred people in Lowell who hold policies in the Covenant Mutual Benefit association, several agents having done considerable work among the French-Americans in this city a few years ago. The association is now in trouble, as is shown in the following account taken from the Worcester Telegram.

"John E. Sullivan of Sullivan & O'Connell got after the Covenant Mutual Benefit association yesterday.

"Up to a few days ago the company had offices in State Mutual building, and William Banaghan was in charge of its Worcester business. Mr. Banaghan still has an office in the building, and does business for another insurance company.

"Mr. Sullivan told a reporter last night that he has been of the opinion for some time that the company has not conducted business as it should in Massachusetts.

"It is an assessment insurance company of the kind, Gov. Roger Wolcott pronounced against in his last inaugural address.

"Yesterday, Mr. Sullivan received a letter from Frederick L. Cutting insurance commissioner of Massachusetts, to the effect that the company has not complied with the laws of Massachusetts referring particularly to chap. 220 of the act of 1899, an act relative to the domestic and foreign mutual assessment insurance, and Mr. Sullivan says that among other things, the company has not filed its reports with the commissioner, as the law requires.

"After the receipt of the letter from Commissioner Cutting, Mr. Sullivan brought two suits against the Covenant Mutual Benefit association for $1000 each.

"The plaintiffs are Mr. Sullivan and his wife, Annie T. Sullivan. Mr. Sullivan has paid into the company $167.02, and his wife $172.03. Both suits are actions of contract.

"Service was made on William Banaghan, who has represented the company in this section.

"There are 4000 policy holders in the company in Massachusetts, and in Worcester, it is said, there are several hundred.

"The company has its headquarters in Galesburg, Ill., and Mr. Sullivan says Insurance Superintendent Louis F. Dawn of New York has revoked the license of the company to do business in New York.

"The writs in the suits yesterday are returnable in superior court in Worcester the first Monday of January."

A BOX PARTY.

A box party and dance was held at Highland hall last night by the M. S. C. A large crowd was in attendance, and everybody enjoyed themselves. The Excelsior orchestra furnished the music and dancing was continued to a late hour.

The officers were: General manager, E. F. Quinby; floor director, Robert A. Dunbar; assistant floor director, Geo. A. Cole; aids, Arthur Cleveland, Prescott Perrington, F. Gilman, H. Patterson, W. Spellman.

SAVOY THEATRE

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This popular family theatre will open

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A mention of the names tells the whole story.

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Comedian and Instrumentalist of high Order.

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A finished and refined singing and dancing duo.

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Comedian and Monologueist ranking Among the Top-Lines.

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Ladies' Matinees every afternoon except Mondays. Matinees, 2.30. Evenings, 7.15. Doors open one-half hour earlier.

A SOCIAL EVENING.

The Young Men's Christian association is planning to have a fine time tonight at the first of its members' social meetings.

All of the members are expected to be present.

The ladies' auxiliary will serve a substantial New England dinner at 6.15 sharp. There will be matters of interest following the dinner and a pleasant and profitable time is assured.

Syrup of Figs, 25c. Dows' Drug Store.

FEEBLE KIDNEYS.

In health the kidneys strain all impurities from the blood. Diseased, they allow the poisons to accumulate. Weak kidneys come from weak stomachs. Build up the stomach with Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, and the kidneys will be as good as new. The Bitters also cures constipation, indigestion, dyspepsia, biliousness, nervousness and general debility. See that a PRIVATE REVENUE STAMP covers the neck of the bottle.

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Middlesex, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of JENNIE D. McHARG, late of Lowell, in said county, deceased, intestate.

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to JOHN W. McEVOY, of Lowell, in said county, as public administrator or to some other suitable person.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said county of Middlesex, on the fifth day of December, A. D., 1899 at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week for three successive weeks in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day at least before said court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-first day of November, in the year one thousand, eight hundred and ninety-nine.

S. H. FOLSOM, Register.

Notice is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Frank Munroe, alias Frank Monroe, late of Lowell, in the County of Middlesex, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

JOHN W. McEVOY, Adm.
137 Central Street.

Lowell, Mass., Nov. 25, 1899.

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Admiral Dewey winced under the criticism directed at him by a lot of unscrupulous politicians and newspapers. The supporters of President McKinley, who feared that Dewey might become a candidate for the presidency, availed themselves of this opportunity of aiming a blow at his popularity. The admiral thought it would be a proper thing to deed the house to his son, so that it might go down as an heirloom in the Dewey family. But in order not to ignore his wife in the transfer he deeded it first to her, so as to give her the privilege of making the conveyance. There was nothing very wrong about that, but his critics and political enemies twisted it and distorted it in every possible manner to suit their purposes. For awhile the admiral shut himself up from the newspapers; but at last he was forced to come out and make a statement which had the effect of stopping the flippant tongues and scurrilous pens from heaping abuse upon him and which will go far to silence these critics in the future. Dewey, besides being a hero, is a gentleman, and it is his acts as a gentleman that his boorish critics did not understand.

The common council of Boston is apparently determined if possible to bring about a serious overhauling of the police department; but unfortunately the police department of Boston is not under control of the city council of Boston. It is a state institution, the legislature is apparently of the opinion that the city of Boston is not fit to be trusted with the management of its police department. The common council had better start an agitation for home rule. The system of policing the different cities by state authority has received some serious set backs of late. The city of Fall River can testify to its absurdity, and Boston is equally opposed to this violation of the principle of home rule. When will we have a legislature that will stand for home rule in Massachusetts cities?

Barnum's saying that the people like to be humbugged had a striking verification in the facility with which the Franklin syndicate raked in the money of greedy investors on the promise of ten per cent. weekly. Despite the obvious impossibility of paying such dividends indefinitely the money poured in until the police raided the office. The manager has skipped with millions of money belonging to poor people, who like to be humbugged. They have been humbugged to the Queen's taste in the present case by Manager Miller of the Franklin syndicate.

It is rather a strange phase of neutrality in the Transvaal war to find President McKinley protesting to President Kruger that the Americans at Pretoria are not allowed to care for the British prisoners who may need their attention. The fact that the Americans give their attention exclusively to the British and ignore the suffering Boers is ample justification for Kruger's refusal. The United States, by such a course, is not strictly observing the obligations of neutrality.

That Brave Bill Anthony should have committed suicide. Alas, the shock suffered in the destruction of the Maine must have affected his mind and finally overcome his reason. Poor Bill Anthony's words to Capt. Sigsbee will long be remembered: "Sir, I have the honor to inform you that the ship has been blown up and is sinking." Strange that a man of such coolness in an emergency could not have weathered the ills of life so as to run the natural term of his existence!

The democrats of Lowell now know their opponents. Let the work of defeating the republican candidates be well planned and effectively carried out, as it can by united action. The republican ticket is admittedly a weak one. Disunion and rivalry must be met by harmony even without the dinners. Chairman O'Connor and his lieutenants of the democratic city committee did good work in registration. Now let the vote be brought out and victory is assured.

Nothing can show more clearly the power which Richard Croker wields as leader of Tammany hall than the fact that a few of his lieutenants turned in $15,000 for the Parnell memorial fund at his mere suggestion. It is a gracious act which shows not only the power of Croker's leadership, but also the influence and generosity of the organization of which he is the head.

Gen. Otis exults in the belief that the Filipino rebellion is at an end, that the government has been disbanded. True, the Filipino army and government are badly broken up, as well they may be, after such a desperate struggle for freedom against an overwhelming foe. But they are not reduced to submission, and will be so reduced as Aguinaldo has stated only when there are no more Filipinos to kill.

Richard Croker says the trusts will be the main issue in the next presidential campaign. The trusts are simply the organized robbers that carry on their operations in defiance of the law where they cannot control the courts, legislatures and congress itself.

All the great geniuses of this country, with the exception of Edison and a few others, are engaged in devising new methods of swindling the public, counterfeiting money and playing confidence games.

The republican ticket is practically decided upon and now it is in order for Mr. Rose to provide a harmony dinner for the entire party in order to overcome the soreness among the candidates who got left.

Boardman Hall has decided not to make an exhibition of his foolishness in running for mayor of Boston with as little chance of election as a dead man.

If conferences amount to anything, the wage question now under discussion at Fall River will surely soon be settled.

The South African censor is getting in his work. Even London refuses to believe the story of the victory at Belmont.

Alderman Taylor is the only member of the present board nominated for re-election. Why?

The battleship Kentucky is all right. Would that we could say as much for the state.

HORSE JUMPED 21 FEET

IT WAS EITHER THAT OR TAKE CHANCES WITH ANGRY GRIZZLY.

Not many horses trained in steeple chasing and ridden by skilled jockeys could make a clean jump of 21 feet.

When George King, the cowboy, started out to round up a herd of cattle that were pasturing in the valleys of the Santa Ana river he invited an Indian, Juan Machado to accompany him and help him in the cattle driving. Machado was on the point of agreeing when King said jokingly: "We will take our guns along, and we might get a fat bear."

Immediately the Indian appeared to be in a state of abject terror and refused to take the trip, assuring King that the grizzly bear always overheard such threats and that hunters who announced their objects were sure to be eaten up.

Laughing at the Indian's superstition, King started on without him.

A day or two afterward he was following a lonely trail alone. The trail led through a dense thicket and was near the border of a dangerous gulch. Suddenly the path made a sharp curve and disclosed to the cowboy's sight, a monster grizzly, gnawing a newly killed yearling. Now, of all circumstances calculated to excite a grizzly the interruption of his meal is the surest. Therefore when the mounted cowboy rode almost upon him, he rushed forward with a terrifying growl.

The little horse needed no spurs, but darted onward through the brush with incredible swiftness, the angry bear following close behind. In a moment the horse and rider were on the edge of the gulch and there was no room for turning.

There was but one thing to do. King raised the bridle reins, the little horse gathered her legs under her and sailed straight through the air—and landed safely on the edge of the opposite bank. The chasm was 21 feet across.

And the Indian said: "I told you so. I told you the bear would see you.

TEWKSBURY

Tewksbury Grange held a successful box party last evening at the town hall. Early in the evening there was a business session at which Henry M. Billings was appointed to represent the grange at the State Agricultural Institute to be held at Westfield. When the boxes were produced Auctioneer F. A. Fitzgerald mounted the platform and had no difficulty in disposing of a large collection of the boxes, the receipts from which amounted to about $15. The committee was as follows: Mr. and Mrs. Frank Trull, Mrs. S. P. Pike and Miss Lizzie Rogers.

At a recent meeting of the executive committee of the Village Improvement association, it was decided to hold "The Annual Tea" New Year's night. Special committees were appointed to provide for the supper and the entertainment.

STATIONARY FIREMEN

HELD AN OPEN MEETING LAST EVENING.

There was an open meeting of the Stationary Firemen in Building Laborers' hall on Middle street, last evening. The attendance was very large.

Mr. Lawrence Haggett of Boston addressed the meeting upon the heating of rooms from boilers. President Joseph Convery also talked interestingly. The members are arranging for another open meeting which will be held on the afternoon of Sunday, December 3.

LOWELL WOMAN SPOKE

A session of the Massachusetts diocesan organization of the Girls' Friendly society was held Thursday evening at Tremont Temple, Boston. The principal subject of discussion was "Some of Women's Opportunities," which was treated in several different branches. Miss Amelia Bennett of St. Anne's church, this city was one of the speakers who viewed the subject in a domestic sense.

A son has been born to Mr. and Mrs. J. Syme Hastings of Washington, D. C.

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Facts and Fiction

Experiences of Lowell Citizens Are Easily Proven to be Facts. Outside Testimony is Apt to Savor of Romance.

The most superficial investigation will prove that the following statement from a resident of Lowell is true. Read it and compare evidence from Lowell along with testimony from outside places, published side by side with this in the columns of this paper. Investigate still further and you will be surprised at the number of people in Lowell who re-echo what this citizen says:

Mrs. Terrance Flood of 30 Davidson street says: "A severe attack of pneumonia left me suffering from kidney ailment which was manifested by pains in my back. I heard about the merits of Doan's Kidney Pills, and went to Ellingwood & Co.'s drug store, corner of Merrimack and Central streets and got a box. Its use proved so beneficial I continued the treatment until I had taken 4 boxes, when I felt so well I did not consider further use of Doan's Kidney Pills or any other remedy necessary. I value this preparation so highly that I am pleased to recommend it to others.'

EIGHT-HOUR DAY

FOR CITY EMPLOYES DISCUSSED BY SPINNERS' UNION.

The regular meeting of the Spinners' union was held last night in their hall on Middle street and there was a large attendance. The delegation to the Textile Council submitted a report of the situation upon the proposed increase in wages. The report was accepted. The proposed eight hour law for employes of the city departments which is to come before the voters at the city election was discussed at length every member pledging himself to not only vote in favor of the law but to also use his influence with his friends.

BILLERICA NEWS

A chicken pie supper and entertainment were held in the vestry of the Baptist church of North Billerica last night and attracted a large crowd.

The arrangements were under the charge of the Ladies' Aid society who were assisted by the young men of the society. An excellent supper was served from 6.30 to 8 o'clock, followed by a very interesting program as follows: Phonographic selection by H. G. Sheldon; song, Mrs. Nettie Spaulding, "You Can't Forget the Old Love;" reading, Mr. R. T. Perry, "Sewing on a Button;" phonographic selection; bass solo, Mr. George Durston; recitation, "Bluer, the Regular," Joseph Ellis; song, "Two Sisters," Mr. Herbert Ellis; harmonica trio, introducing popular songs with variations by Messrs. Arthur, William and Charles Butterfield; recitation, "Dot Drummer," by Mr. George Perry, Mr. Thomas Bateson, accompanist. Considerable amusement was derived from the recitations of Messrs. R. T. Perry and Joseph Ellis, as each had stumped the other to speak.

Following are the various committees: General manager, George Perry, assisted by George Colson Thomas Ellis, Louis Perry, Austin Staples, George Forbes, George Holden, Oliver Conrad, Fred Costy, George Dyson.

The following ladies had charge of the supper: Mrs. Perry, Mrs. Holt, Miss Coffee, Mrs. Colson, Mrs. Done, Mrs. Trefy, Mrs. Sheldon, Mrs. Lord, Mrs. Scott and Mrs. Clegg.

LEASE RATIFIED

BY DIRECTORS AND STOCKHOLDERS OF LOWELL & SUBURBAN.

At a meeting of the directors and stockholders of the Lowell and Suburban Street Railway company, the lease of that road to the Lowell, Lawrence and Haverhill Street Railway company was unanimously approved and ratified. The lease is for a term of 25 years, on a graded dividend basis. This completes the action by which the Lowell & Suburban is controlled by the Massachusetts Electric company.

NORTH CHELMSFORD

The Clipper Social club of North Chelmsford managed a successful dance at the town hall last night. A delightful concert was given during the early part of the evening by the North Chelmsford orchestra and at 9 o'clock the dancing began and continued until 12 o'clock. Those who had charge of the affair were: General manager, Clarence Thompson; assistant general manager, Alphonse Magnant; floor director, Fred Lester; assistant floor director, Thomas McTague; aids, John Morning, Thomas Tole, Joseph Crowley, John J. Gray, Walter Finch, Thomas Larkin, John Curry; reception committee, Walter Monk, James J. Barrett, John J. O'Connell, James McTague.

THE LUDWIG CONCERT.

Associate Hall undoubtedly will be packed on Sunday evening when William Ludwig and his concert company will appear here in a beautiful program of Irish music. The lamented John Boyle O'Reilly in reporting a Ludwig concert for the Boston Pilot some years ago, said:

"What is the supreme test of Irish music for the normal Irishman? The thoughtful observer of the great audience which filled Boston theatre last Sunday night for the fourth of the Ludwig concerts has but one answer. Irish music is loved and prized by the Irish chiefly as it is the voice of Irish passion for Nationhood; and the great singer who has been delighting American audiences in these parts would have had but a temperate welcome if his genius were not matched by his devotion to the national cause.

Mr. Ludwig and his brilliant company gave a new and varied program, ranging in one line, from the pensive beauty of "Oft in the Stilly Night," to the delightful drollery of "Kitty of Coleraine." But while these were gladly welcomed and heartily recalled, it was only the national songs that drew out the deepest enthusiasm of the audience. One bar of the "Wearing of the Green," or "O'Donnell Abu," one strain of the cherished "treason" ballads of '98 sets the Irish blood all ablaze. Irish music has its message to all men as a revelation of the constancy and self-surrender unmatched since the world began with which the ideal of freedom has been worshipped in Ireland.

William Ludwig is doing a further work in which he should have encouragement from all Americans of Irish blood, in making known in America the varied range and technical perfection of Irish music. Germany knows it. Haydn and Handel paid enthusiastic tribute to the refined beauty of the Irish melodies and the music to which Moore set the "Last Rose of Summer," made the fortune of Flotow's opera, "Martha." Music lovers in America will not be slow in their recognition of Irish music now that it has found such an exponent as Mr. Ludwig. He ought to give his Irish concerts in every city in America and for pride in their national heritage, Irish-Americans should see that he does it."

"BILL" NEVILLE.

Bill Neville, the popular basket ball player and formerly of the champion Burkes will play at Milford tonight with the Milford State League team against the champion Hudsons. Neville was recently let go by Manager Redmond of the Burkes, so Manager Trask of Milford signed him to play. Neville is classed among the best guards in the state. In tonight's game he will play his old position and will make his opponent, no matter who he is, hustle to lose him.

PAPER COLLARS

That Were Used in the Early Days

THE CHINESE AND THEIR LAUNDRIES

The Number of Foreigners in the City

I was in Putnam Son's clothing establishment the other evening and I saw a man making a purchase, that, to me, seemed very much out of the usual. That was, the customer had just purchased a box of paper collars and cuffs. This brought my mind back to a time when paper collars was about the only thing in ordinary use for men. But that was a long time ago.

The first paper collars were made, some where where early in the sixties, and they were purely and simply a paper collar. They looked very neat on a person's neck, but they were rather a dangerous thing to attempt to wear to a ball or a party where a person was apt to exercise much, as the least perspiration would cause them to break at the buttonhole, so that a person was almost invariably obliged to carry one collar in his pocket, as well as one on his neck to provide for emergency.

A little later on some genius made a collar that had a covering of linen, which made a good substitute for the genuine linen collar. But even that grade seemed to pass out of existence as a common or popular collar and the linen collar was substituted. These collars used to retail ten in a box costing from eighteen to twenty-five cents. The cuffs cost fifty cents.

One of the clerks told me that in the days when paper collars were almost exclusively worn, it was no unusual occurrence for them to sell two or three hundred boxes on a Saturday, where they would not probably sell that many in a year now.

Another thing that seems remarkably funny is that that they went so far in the manufacturing of these goods for gentlemen that they not only made paper collars in various styles, but also cuffs and bosoms. He surprised me somewhat when he told me that at one time they had actually placed on the market a shirt made entirely of paper.

It struck me that this must have been a kind of a fair weather outfit for I imagined I could see the man's finish if he got caught in a rain storm.

Occasionally a wag would bring them into a Chinese laundry to get them laundered, unnecessary to say that when called for them a few days that when he called for them a few days later he might have the "checkee" but he could not get his "shirtee" for the shirts had melted away in the process of washing.

Celluloid shirts, cuffs and bosoms later came into the market and have always met with a fair sale, they being very durable and if a person is not too particular about his linen, he could economize greatly in the wearing of the furnishings made of this material.

Speaking of collars and cuffs brings to my mind our laundries. I can distinctly remember when in our city there was not a single established laundry here, the nearest thing being a sign hung out on the edge of a building or over a door, where Mrs. So and So took in washing and ironing. The first steam laundry that I can remember was known as the Troy laundry which is in existence today; and hundreds of our citizens sent their laundry to Troy, N. Y. I believe that Joseph White, the clothing and furnishing dealer, who some years ago did business in this city, was the first to establish an agency for the Troy laundry people. Shortly after this agency being established, a Chinese laundry firm opened up a place on Merrimack street, near the corner of Maiden Lane, about the sixties. They at that time, seemed to be the only persons doing laundry work that could get that high finished gloss or polish on our linens and the result was that they did quite a profitable business. Shortly after their establishing, several other Chinamen came to this city and established laundries, giving their exclusive attention to this industry.

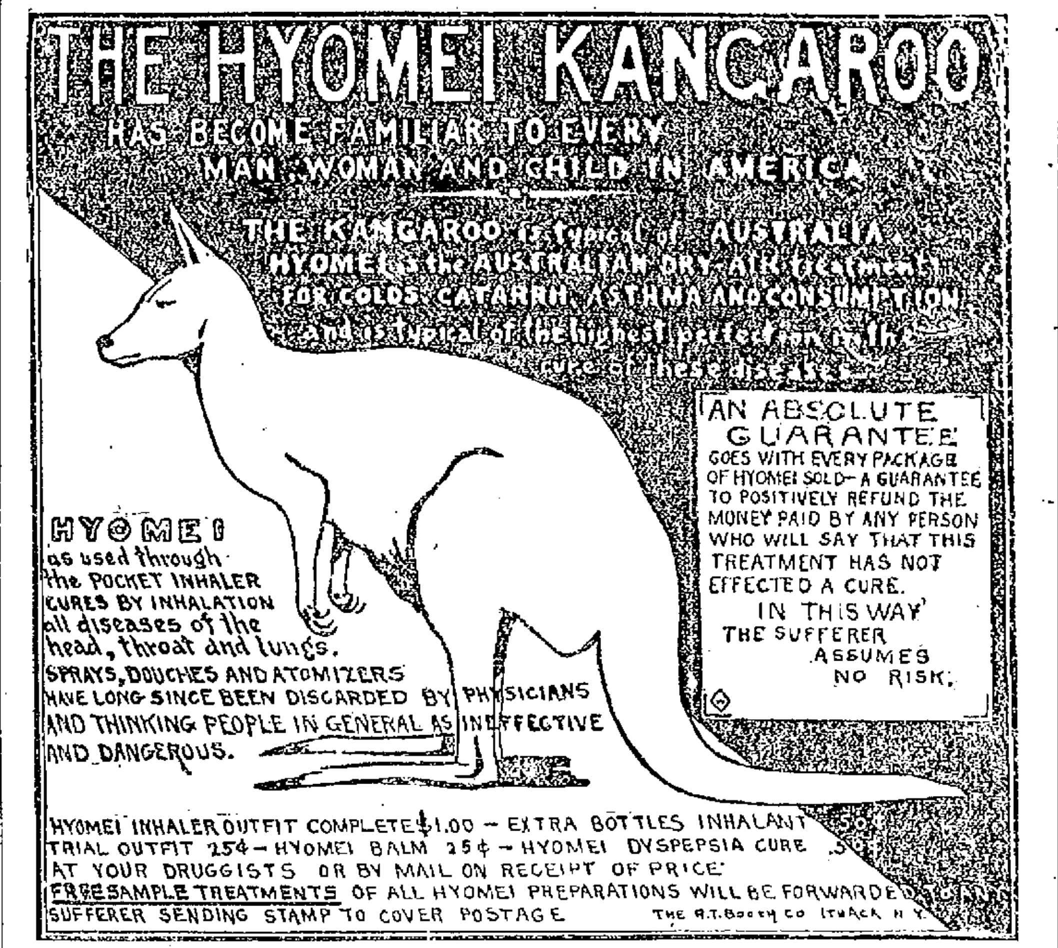
These Mongolians must certainly be credited with being the most industrious, the quietest and most inoffensive class in our city. The wonder to most most people's minds is when do these people ever rest, for they are the first up in the morning, and in this city like any other are always the last to finish their work. They are surely the most exclusive class of people that can be found, hardly ever associating with anyone but one of their own nationality.

I happened to drop into a laundry on John street the other day and there I met a very fine looking specimen of the Mongolian race and he was reading a newspaper that was printed in Hong Kong and it certainly looked fun funny to me, for the characters were like columns of figures running up and down the page, with no space lines designating the columns as in our local papers. I was surprised when he told me that they had no alphabet for spelling out their words, that each character represented a word in itself and in that way none of them was obliged to learn the alphabet.

I asked him what the paper was called and he told me but I could not remember it much longer than while he was naming it.' I also asked him the character of news found in this paper and he said that it was a religious paper and that he was a subscriber.

He told me that it was a paper which was published semi-monthly and costs one dollar and fifty cents a year in our money. I found that he was a very interesting person to talk with and that he spoke the English language very fluently. His countenance would indicate that he was above the ordinary Chinaman in intellect. He told me that he had resided in this country for the last fifteen years and that he had lived the greater portion of that time in California and New York and was a resident of our city for seven years. I was much surprised to think that these people who emigrated to this city more than thirty years ago had not reached a total of one hundred inhabitants, as strictly speaking there are only eighty-six of them in Lowell, this being the greatest number that we have ever had.

The honors in point of numbers is about evenly divided between our colored residents and the Chinamen, for they, like the Chinese, do not seem to increase their numbers. There are not today as many colored people living in Lowell as there were forty years ago, and this fact is all the more remarkable when we stop to consider how rapidly the composition of our population is changing by the influx of new foreign elements from Europe, such as the Greeks, Poles, Armenians, Turks and Italians, and it would not take a man to be a very great prophet to predict that in twenty years these people will be numerous enough in our city to hold the balance of power if not to be the dictators of what shall be the policy of our city. They are liable to control our institutions; but I suppose that these are all privileges vouchsafed to people in a free country. Whether they will be an improvement over what we have already enjoyed is a question that only time can determine, but these conditions are facts that cannot be disputed and whether for good or evil they will certainly take place.



THE DRAMA

GOSSIP OF THE STAGE AND ITS STARS.

Mrs. Sara Cowell LeMoyne, wife of the well known actor, Mr. W. J. Le Moyne, and herself celebrated as a dramatic reader, as well as an artistic interpreter of some of the most difficult roles of recent dramas, will make her appearance as a star early in the new year, on a new society drama, written especially for her by Mrs. Henry C. McMillé, widow of the well-known playwright, and Miss Harriet Ford. The new comedy will be called "The Greatest Thing in the World," and will have its first production early in January. Mrs. Le Moyne is well known in Boston. She made her debut at the Union Square theatre, New York, when a girl, and was for three years the youngest member of A. M. Palmer's stock company. Then Mr. Palmer wanted to cast her for an old woman's role and she resigned from the company. She immediately started on her career as a dramatic reader, and soon won fame and popularity both in this country and England. Mrs. Le Moyne made her re-appearance as an actress in Clyde Fitch's play, "The Moth and the Flame," in which she made a great hit as the giddy widow, Mrs. Lorimer. Last season she originated the Duchess in "Catherine," and her performance was one of the most notable features of that play.

"The glorious part of Henry Irving's career," said Stuart Robson one day, "is that as he has advanced himself he has brought the profession up with him. Here in America people don't realize what prejudices theatrical folk of England had to contend with, but now the actor stands with the best of them. He has his place in society, just the same as any other artist, and Henry Irving has done most of the work that has brought this about."

For a number of years it was known that the queen was ready to recognize the great talent of the first English-speaking actors and to express the sense of gratitude the nation felt to him for what he had done for theatrical production by conferring on him the title. Irving's friends in the literary and social world were anxious that he should be knighted, but he frequently expressed in conversation, his opinion, which, of course, reached what are ambiguously called royal ears, that he did not desire the honor. It was not until the members of his own profession, headed by Chas. Wyndham, went to him and told him that they desired to see him knighted that he consented.

"You must, Irving, for the good of the cause," Wyndham is reported to have said, "you have carried your profession up to the point where one of its members is considered worthy of knighthood. Your own work in this direction will not be completed until you have accepted this honor, which is an honor to us all." The year after this, among the birthday announcements, was Henry Brodribb Irving.—Ainslee's Magazine for December.

Josef Kainz, who is considered the greatest German Hamlet of the day, has just acted the role at the Hofburg in Vienna, to which he has gone from Berlin. Sarah Bernhardt and Adele Sandrock attempted the part shortly afterward. This was too much for Herr Kainz, who was unable to keep from relieving his mind on the subject. "Hamlet is a man," he wrote, "and only men can play Hamlet. A woman cannot conceive what the character is. In the part there is what I might call the eternal masculine. Rather should a woman play Claudius or one of the courtiers. The subject is too serious to make a puppet out of Hamlet. Hamlet, who wanted to get away from women, played by a woman —what an idea! That is a comedy in a comedy. The part should not be degraded to mere costume role. My opinion is that only a Shakespeare who could write a 'Hamlet' could play the part of the hero well. But where is there a Shakespeare among the actors today?"

"The greatest marked development in the theatre in the last 25 years," said Sir Henry Irving slowly, and in that strikingly measured manner, "is that it is no longer necessary to vindicate the stage. There was a time when it was. Another great change, and which has helped the actor immensely, is the growth in the number of strong, honest and capable critics. The actor must have publicity and honest criticism, and, in proportion as he gets that, the necessity for vindication, ceases. He then takes his place according to his merit, that is, he takes his place in his time. But an actor is never sure what another time will think of him. An actor's rewards are peculiar. I think it was Mr. Archer who said that beautiful pictures, statues and fine buildings, no matter how much you admire them, never cause you to throw up your hat or applaud very vigorously. In walking through an art collection you simply make a pencil mark alongside of the pictures that please you. The methods of expressing approval of acting are stronger, but the thing that produces the approval has passed away with its creation!"—Ainslee's for December.

The withdrawal of Tyrone Power from Mrs. Fiske's company, playing "Becky Sharp" at the Fifth Avenue theatre, was due to the fact that he had made a year's engagement with James Williamson of Australia to play leading parts. He also made arrangements for the appearance in the same companies of his wife, Miss Edith Crane.

Howard Malcom Ticknor of Boston, at the close of a lecture at San Francisco, made some sharp comment on the theatrical syndicate. So great has been the feeling against it, he said, that several of the prominent actors and actresses in the east, are discussing a plan to cut loose from the trust, organize a company of their own and appeal to the public for patronage, even though they are not able to mount plays as the syndicate mounts them.

Klaw & Erlanger and B. D. Stevens' extravaganza, "Chris and the Wonderful Lamp," will begin an engagement at the Boston Museum Monday evening, Dec. 4th. The music is by the famous John Philip Sousa, the leader of Sousa's band, "The March King." The book is by Glen MacDonough. The foundation of the story is the Arabian Nights' romance of Aladdin, the magic lamp and the Genii, brought up to date. Edna Wallace Hopper, the petite comedienne, the Aladdin of today, and Jerome Sykes the Twentieth Century Genie. The company numbers 150 people, including John Page, the acrobatic comedian, Mabel'e Baker, Charles H. Drew, Ethel Irene Stewart, Nellie Lynch, Randolph Curry, and Emilie Beaupre. The songs introduced have made hits, especially "In 'Foster-land,'" "I'm a Hightoned Genie," "The Hump-backed White," "The Lay of the Mechanical Doll," and "The College of Hoop-de-doo." Sousa's latest march, "The Man Behind the Gun," creates a sensation when interpreted at the end of the second act.

E. H. Sothern purposes appearing as Hamlet to Miss Virginia Harned's Ophelia at Daly's New York, the first week of next May.

Stuart Robson has engaged Miss Florence Rockwell as leading woman for his coming production of "Oliver Goldsmith." Walton Hale is to fill the role of Ned Burke.

KENDRICK'S DEATH

JUDGE STONE FINDS WAS DUE TO HIS OVER CARELESSNESS.

Judge Stone of Lawrence has submitted the following report on the inquest in regard to the death of Jabez C. Kendrick:

COMMONWEALTH OF MASS.

Essex ss.

Police Court of Lawrence.

On the 8th day of November, 1899, I held an inquest in relation to the death of Jabez C. Kendrick, who was killed upon the tracks of the Lowell, Lawrence & Haverhill street railway company, on the 28th day of October, 1899, and find and report as follows:

Kendrick was found on Lowell street about five minutes past 7 upon the evening of October 28th, lying on the tracks of said railway; he was pulled off of said track just before the car went by. He then started up Lowell street toward the corner of Milton street, and boarded a car bound for Lowell at the corner of Milton street, at about 10 minutes past 7; he rode upon that car to a point about three or four hundred yards easterly from where the tracks leave the highway to go through private land when he left that car and started to walk back toward Lawrence. Nothing further was seen of him until the motorman upon the next car from Lowell to Lawrence, discovered him lying at full length between the rails of the track upon which he was running, his feet being towards the approaching car. He was some hundred of yards towards Lowell from the place where he had left the car upon which he had just been riding. It was a dark and foggy night. The motorman did everything that lay in his power to do to stop his car after he observed Kendrick lying between the tracks, but was unable to do so until a portion of his car had run over Kendrick's body, and produced injuries from which he died in about an hour.

I find that his death was the result of his own careless acts and that the Lowell, Lawrence & Haverhill street railway are in no way to blame for the accident which produced his death.

(Signed ANDREW C. STONE.
Justice of the Police Court of Lawrence.

FIRST ASSEMBLY

BY WEAVERS' UNION HELD LAST NIGHT.

The Weavers' Union held its first grand assembly at Associate hall last night and about 100 couples attended.

There were 20 numbers on the program and dancing began at 8.30 and was enjoyed till 12. Music was furnished by Hibbard's orchestra of four pieces. The officers in charge were: General manager, James J. Conroy; assistant general manager, Miss May E. Bovers; floor director, John Walsh; assistant floor director, Thomas O'Hearn; James Mylott, treasurer; Miss Annie Logan, financial secretary; aids, Wm. H. Bakewell; chief aids, Frank LeClair Jr., Wm. L. Kinsella, James Long, Edmund LeClair, Alphonse Robidoux, Patrick Myers, P. J. Burns, F. Mullen, Harry Starr; reception committee, Thomas F. Connolly, chairman; Miss Ella Martin, Miss May Jennings, Miss Annie McMullen, Miss Davis, Mrs. Katie Rowbottom, Miss Keith, Miss Lizzie Hannon, Miss Della Connolly, Miss Katie Morris, Miss Hackett, Miss Downs, Miss Mary McAleer, Miss Maggie McAleer, Miss Maggie McGuire, Miss Lizzie Northrop, Miss Dora Farrell.

BASKET BALL.

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Gen. White Took No Guns

By Associated Press to The Sun.

ORANGE RIVER, Cape Colony, Friday, Nov. 24.—In all 107 wounded, including several Boers have arrived here from Belmont. One of the Boers a boy of 17 years of age, was compelled to take up arms with his father, who is a prisoner. A wounded Boer said that twenty men were selected from each Boer section to pick off the British officers. But, he added, on the advance of the British force the Boer marksmen were bewildered as it was impossible to distinguish the officers who wore the same equipment as the men. The marksmen were also unable to make out the sergeants and other non-commissioned officers whose stripes had been removed.

BOERS KILLED 500; WOUNDED 150.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LONDON, Nov. 25.—The Daily Mail publishes the following dispatch from Belmont, describing the battle:

"The Boers held a position which British troops would hold against almost any force. The British victory is complete. My estimate of the Boer losses is 500 killed and 150 wounded. Mr. Knight, correspondent of the London Morning Post, was wounded. The Boer prisoners are ignorant, dirty and wretched. They say that half their commando, tired of the war, will refuse further service. The whole force of the fearful fight was borne by the infantry who were obliged to climb 500 feet straight into a terrific stream of missiles. The 9th lancers pursued the enemy with great vigor but the Boers well mounted and familiar with the hills, melted before them. Possibly, however, our victory would have been more decisive had we possessed more cavalry."

There is much anxiety now as to the fate of Mafeking, in view of the latest and somewhat despondent advices. It was rumored in the Glasgow Stock Exchange today that Mafeking has surrendered but the war office of this city declared that they have no confirmation or otherwise.

In the meanwhile the news from Natal is not encouraging. Estcourt and the Mooi river camps are both hard pressed and it seems almost a joke to regard the garrisons as forming part of the relief force for Ladysmith. A dispatch from Pretoria, dated Thursday, gives advices from south of Ladysmith to the effect that General Joubert, the same morning shelled Estcourt camp, but without response. The inhabitants of the town were reported to be leaving.

The dispatch from Pretoria also indicates that news of the battle of Belmont had reached Pretoria, as it says: "Heavy fighting is reported south of Kimberley today between the Free Staters and a supposed British relief force from the Orange river."

The foregoing dispatch does not refer to the British attack on the Boer position at Willow Grange, outside of Estcourt the previous day. The attack is said to have been a surprise and although the British retired on Estcourt they did not do so until they had bayonetted eighty Boers and captured all their equipment and a number of horses. A bug gun posted in position, the capture of which appears to have been the British objective, was found to have been removed. The story is thus circumstantial, though no official confirmation is yet forthcoming.

An official statement was issued at Durban yesterday that there were no Boers south of the Mooi river. The Boers, however, as shown in recent dispatches, are rapidly closing around the Mooi river camp. An armored train and mounted patrols which reconnoitred the country around on Wednesday reported seeing but few of the enemy. Yet the following day the Boers were found in strong force in two directions nearby. This shows the extreme mobility of the Boer forces.

Two Boers have surrendered to the British at Nottingham road station, south of the Mooi river, and there are reports that the Boer forces are starving which it is said, explains the raiding of farms.

Numbers of loyal Natal farmers have taken the field in response to the mobilization of the Rifle Association and are now doing splendid scouting work. Two of these volunteer patrols checked the Boers near Mooi river.

An incident similar to an occurrence at the battle of Glencoe, when an officer was shot by a wounded Boer, is reported by the London Times' correspondent at Belmont, who says that Lieut. Blundell of the Grenadier Guards, was shot by a wounded Boer whom he was tending. Such statements appear incredible, but they are now confirmed officially by the protest of General Methuen, who has sent a message to the Boer commander, saying: "I must ask you to warn your wounded not to shoot our officers. I must warn you not to use dum-dum bullets, or use the flag of truce treacherously. Such action is cowardly in the extreme, and I cannot countenance it."

All accounts confirm the splendid charging of the British infantry, the Scots Guards entering the fight with drums beating and fifes playing.

The second ridge was the strongest position. The Boers there were sheltered behind ramparts of boulders. Nevertheless, the Guards advanced steadily, many of them coolly smoking.

Mr. E. F. Knight, a well-known war correspondent, who went to Havana during the Spanish-American war, was wounded in the arm by a dum-dum ball.

The hospital train arrived at Orange river in the nick of time from Cape Town and was sent to Belmont. The train is constructed on the corridor system, with beds ranged in tiers on either side. On its return to Orange river with the wounded, it was found that a number of them were able to walk, but there were many stretcher cases. The troops in camp lined the route from the station to the hospital. The wounded were cheerful, and as they limped along, supported by medical orderlies, exchanged chaff with soldiers in the crowd.

There is much discussion as to whether General Methuen intends to march direct to Kimberley or double round and cut off the Free Staters, who have invaded the Colesberg and Burghersdorp districts and, driving them on Generals Gatacre and French, inflict a crushing defeat on them. The general opinion, however, is that he will proceed north and attack the Boers at Modder river, thus relieving Kimberley.

NO BOER GUNS TAKEN.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

DURBAN, Nov. 24.—An official message from General White at Ladysmith, dated Nov. 22, says:

"Situation unchanged. The troops well and cheerful."

IN TAYLOR'S FAVOR

COURT ORDERS DISPUTED VOTES COUNTED FOR HIM.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

FRANKFORT, Ky., Nov. 25.—The court of appeals today decided that Taylor is entitled to 1,197 Nelson county votes. The court, all the judges concurring, refused to dissolve the injunction as asked by Goebel's attorneys. The votes in controversy were certified for W. P. instead of W. S. Taylor. Judge Jones of Nelson county, ordered these votes counted for W. S. Taylor, and this order is affirmed.

MISSING LIFE BOAT FOUND

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LONDON, Nov. 25—A despatch from Christiansand says that the missing life boat of the steamer Coquet, abandoned as before reported, has drifted into Hvaernvaerhiteen. On board the boat were eleven life belts and some provisions. There is a chance that the crew were taken off by some vessel.

CONSUL OSBORNE HOME.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—W. McKinley Osborne, United States consul general at London and General Stewart L. Woodford, former minister to Spain, have arrived here today on the steamer St. Paul.

THE WEATHER.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BOSTON, Nov. 25.—Forecast for Boston and vicinity: Fair weather tonight; Sunday cloudy with rain; northerly winds, increasing in force.

PARKSIDES WON.

There was an interesting football match at the Belvidere park this morning between the Parksides and Bloods, the former team being victorious by a score of 17 to 10. The best playing was done by Kirkpatrick and Donovan for the Parksides and Curtis for the vanquished eleven.

SAVOY THEATRE.

Next Monday, November 27th, this cozy little play house will again open its doors and present high class vaudeville shows. None but the best talent will be engaged at this play house, which is under the same management as last year. Messrs. Frank G. Mack and Charles F. Dempsey the star hustlers, are the managers, and with such popular prices as 10, 20, 30 cents for a first-class performance we predict a very successful season.

OBSCENE DRAWING.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

PARIS, Nov. 25.—The anti-English caricatures in connection with the Transvaal war have culminated in a grossly obscene drawing insulting Queen Victoria in La Caricature, entitled: "English Correction." The police seized it today, probably because of British embassy representations.

DAMAGE IS $50,000.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

MONTREAL, Nov. 25.—Fire last night in a building on St. James street occupied by William Agnew & Co., silk importers and others, caused damage to the amount of $50,000.

SHOWER OF BIELIDS

By Associated Press to The Sun.

PRINCETON, N. J., Nov. 25.—The shower of bielids which Astronomer Young said would likely follow after the Leonids, came last night. The meteors were quite numerous and many were brilliant. They fell in the greatest number between 10 and 11 o'clock.

THE MOTION SUSTAINED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

FORT SCOTT, Kan., Nov. 25.—Judge Williams of Arkansas, sitting in the Federal court here, has sustained a motion to dismiss the suit of Mary P. Stevens et al., stockholders in the Kansas City & Pacific railroad, against the Missouri, Kansas & Texas railroad. The suit was to enjoin the Missouri, Kansas & Texas directors, which controls the Kansas City & Pacific, from absorbing that road by consolidating it with the first named line and subjecting its stockholders to liabilities for the Missouri, Kansas & Texas bonded indebtedness.

CAR DYNAMITED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Nov. 25.—Late last night a street car on the Seventh street line of the Springfield Consolidated street railway company, was dynamited in the north part of the city supposedly by strikers. The car was badly damaged but the motorman, conductor and three women passengers escaped injury.

TROUBLE NOT SETTLED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Nov. 25.—Arbitration has failed to settle the differences between the moulders and coremakers and the manufacturers. The men would not recede from the original demand for a minimum day's wage of $3 and 10 per cent. advance, nor would the employers agree to more than $2.75 and 5 per cent. advance. The dispute will be taken up by the American Iron Moulders' union, at the national convention in Cincinnati. In the meantime, it is said work will proceed subject to the action taken by the union at the meeting.

BARTENDER FINED

$100 for Illegally Keeping Liquor

MRS. TIVNAN'S CASE CONTINUED

Antonio Dutra Found Not Guilty of Illegal Keeping

Peter Maguire was charged in the police court this morning with maliciously destroying clothes line, the property of Mrs. Michael Casey and valued at 85 cents. He pleaded guilty to the charge and the court imposed a fine of $3 which was paid.

Judge Hadley was on the bench and three drunks were arraigned.

Patrick Flannery, though an old offender, was let off with a fine of $6.

Another old offender was Charles H. Quigley, who pleaded guilty to a charge of drunkenness. Quigley has lived with his mother in Centralville. She is about 79 years old and is blind. According to the testimony he has been very cruel to the old lady and several times has assaulted her. He has a long record and is said to be a common drunkard. He had nothing to say in his own behalf and the court sentenced him to the state farm at Bridgewater.

Annie Tivnan, charged with drunkenness and assault and battery on Constable R. J. Flynn, was continued in $100 for drunkenness and $200 for assault till next Saturday for trial.

Daniel J. Clark pleaded guilty to a charge of illegal keeping of liquor and was fined $100. He paid.

The complaint against Mary Latour charging her with assault and battery was dismissed upon the defendant's paying the costs of court, which amounted to $1.50. This was a continued case.

The continued case of Joseph Zuris, charged with embezzlement was put over to December 2.

The case of Esdrosse Coutu, charged with non-support of his wife, was continued one month. This is the second continuance.

There were several liquor forfeitures. The case of Harris Coneles, a Greek, was placed on file. This is the case where the court refused to accept spotter evidence. The case was tried a week ago, but was not disposed of.

Antonio M. Dutra was charged with illegal keeping of liquor. He had previously pleaded not guilty and was represented by D. J. Donahue, Esq.

Liquor Inspectors Duncan, Maher and McCann visited the defendant's room at 3 Molloy's court, off Summer street on the night of November 17 and found Dutra, who, by the way, is a Portuguese, and a number of his countrymen there. Dutra said the room was his. The inspectors found a considerable quantity of liquor which defendant claimed was his. He said he was treating the others. They also found a number of empty jugs in another room. Defendant was placed under arrest and at the police station $5.50 in money was found on his person.

The defendant testified in his own behalf. He said he purchased the liquor in Lawrence the Tuesday before he was visited by the liquor inspectors. He got it, he said, to give his friends a good time. It was the first time he had done this and he said he did not make the men pay for their liquor.

Five witnesses were in the room at the time of the inspectors' visit, and corroborated the testimony of the defendant.

The court ruled that there was not sufficient evidence to show that defendant sold the liquor or kept it for that purpose and accordingly found him not guilty and ordered him discharged.

The case of Claude Vercellin, charged on two counts with felonious assault, was tried. Probable cause was found and Vercellin was held in $1,500 for the grand jury. He failed to procure bail.

DROPPED DEAD

MRS. CHENEY LOST SAVINGS OF LIFE TIME.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—Captain McClusky of the detective bureau, has detailed some of the detectives of his force to try to find William F. Miller of the so-called "Franklin Syndicate" of Brooklyn, who was yesterday indicted by the Kings county grand jury. A general alarm has been sent out for Miller, giving a description of him.

Mrs. A. M. Cheney, one of the throng that crowded the streets in front of the "syndicate's" office, dropped dead at midnight from heart disease, superinduced by excitement. She was said to have lost the savings of a lifetime.

JEALOUS LOVER'S DEED

SILAS WHITE OF HAVRE DE GRACE MD., KILLS RHODA JACKSON AND HIMSELF.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BALTIMORE, Nov. 25.—Silas White of Havre de Grace, who Thursday shot and killed Miss Rhoda Jackson at the gateway of her home near Frenchtown, in Cecil county, because she refused to receive his attentions as a suitor, was found dead yesterday morning in the woods near the home of the murdered girl. He had shot himself through the head with the same pistol with which he had killed the girl.

HOUSES BLOWN UP.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

FORT SMITH, Ark., Nov. 25.—Several houses at which non-union coal miners are boarding, were blown up with dynamite at Huntington last night. No one was injured as far as known. Ten deputy United States marshals have been sent there from Jenny Lind.

ALLEN WILL SUCCEED EWING.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

CINCINNATI, Ohio, Nov. 25.—The Commercial-Tribune says that Robert G. Allen will succeed "Buck" Ewing next season as manager of the Cincinnati Reds. He has been manager of the Indianapolis baseball club.

DESTROYED BY FIRE.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Nov. 25.—The warehouse of Fonesbrother's hardware company were destroyed by fire this morning. Loss $175,000; insurance $125,000.

FUNERAL NOTICE.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Catherine Duff of 19 Burns street will take place Monday morning, instead of Sunday afternoon, as was announced in yesterday's papers.

WORLD'S RECORD

Made at Dracut Rifle Range Today

BY PRIV. GANNON OF COMPANY C

He Made 455 in 100 Shots

Private W. C. Gannon of Co. C., Sixth Regiment, made a world's record at rifle shooting this morning. In 100 shots he made the remarkable score of 455.

The time required for the shooting was one hour and 35 minutes. Private George Anderson officiated as marker and Bert Smithson of Dracut was scorer.

Private Gannon's score was as follows:

5	4	4	5	5	4	5	4	5	4—45
5	4	5	5	4	5	4	4	5	4—45
5	5	4	5	5	5	4	4	4	5—46
4	5	4	4	5	4	4	5	5	5—45
5	4	5	4	5	5	5	4	5	5—47
4	4	4	5	5	5	4	4	5	5—45
5	5	5	5	4	4	4	4	5	4—46
4	5	4	5	4	5	4	4	4	5—44
4	4	5	5	5	5	5	5	4	5—47

Total 455

Private Gannon has a reputation in the Massachusetts militia as a wonderful shot. On one occasion at the state range at Walnut hill he made 19 consecutive bulls' eyes.

FOUND GUILTY

POLES HELD FOR MURDER IN FIRST DEGREE.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

POTTSVILLE, Pa., Nov. 25.—Michael Baronosky, Andrew Coress, Anthony Machulas, Joseph Sachinskey, Peter Stenkowicz, and Anthony Stenkowicz and John Stankowicz, all miners, were convicted today of murder in the first degree in causing the death of Joseph Rutkowski, on September 21, last, at William Penn, this county. The last three are brothers. The murder was the result, it is claimed, of a vow taken by members of a Polish secret society, of which the defendants were members.

MAYOR'S VACATION

GEN. DIMON WILL BE ACTING MAYOR.

Mayor Crowley will go to Canada on Monday for a 10 days' vacation, and in his absence, Gen. Dimon, chairman of the board of aldermen, will be acting mayor. Gen. Dimon was at city hall today.

WEST DEFEATS CRAIG

COLORED MAN WAS OUTCLASSED FROM THE START.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—Tommy West gave Frank Craig, the "Harlem Coffee Cooler," a severe drubbing before a big crowd at the Broadway A. C. last night. Craig never had a chance with West, and the latter fully bore out the confidence placed in him by his admirers, who played him in the betting as a sure winner. The men were scheduled to box 20 rounds at catch weights, but the fight was stopped in the 11th by the referee, Craig then being weak and nearly knocked out.

Charlie White was reinstated as referee, and when he made his entrance in the ring he was greeted with tumultuous applause.

The preliminary bout of 12 rounds at 122 pounds brought Andy Daly of Boston and Jerry Marshall, the colored Australian boxer, together. They fought very evenly, and the referee called the bout a draw. West and Craig were then introduced and both seemed to be in good condition.

FR. SHINNORS

ELOQUENT DUBLIN OBLATE WILL PREACH TOMORROW.

The Rev. M. F. Shinnors, O. M. I. of the House of Retreat, Dublin, Ireland, will preach the sermon at the Immaculate Conception church tomorrow. The novena preparatory to the feast of the Immaculate Conception will also be conducted by him, the opening sermon will be given at high mass on Thanksgiving Day.

The many friends of the Rev. Frs. Gigault and McGrath, O. M. I., will be pleased to hear that they are on the road to recovery.

HOUSE ENTERED

BURGLARS AT WORK AT RIVER POINT.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

RIVER POINT, R. I., Nov. 25.—This village was visited by burglars early this morning. Three dwellings were entered by forcing open the windows on the ground floor. The houses were ransacked without interference from the sleeping inmates, but the amount of plunder secured was less than $11. Several hundred dollars worth of silver might have been taken, but the burglars evidently cared for nothing but money. The only clue to the robbers is one which connects a woman with the raid.

LEADERS EVEN

IN THE GREAT KANSAS CITY SIX DAY RACE.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Nov. 25.—John Lawson has been compelled to drop out of the six-day race here because of a broken collar bone, and when the start was made today at 1.30 but seven men toed the mark. Miller still led at 2.30 p. m. when the score stood:

Miller, Repine, Julius and Gus Lawson 341 miles 5 laps each; Walter 341 miles 3 laps; Lingenfelder 340 miles 8 laps; Niederhofer 255 miles 2 laps.

It developed today that John Lawson had yesterday ridden for seven hours with a broken collarbone. He fell after the first hour, but would not retire, and when the regular race was finished at 9.30 rode an additional half hour on a motor cycle, making one mile in 1m. 44s.

The score at 9.30 tonight at the end of the 21th hour was as follows:

Miller, Julius and Gus Lawson each 485 miles 1 lap; Repine 485; Walter 484 miles 11 laps; Lingenfelder 483 miles 7 laps; Niederhofer 375 miles 2 laps.

Miss Ethel Livingston of Livingston avenue, who has been very favorably known in [illegible] dramatics, has [illegible] "Miss Mara [illegible]" which is to be published by the Walter H. Baker company, theatrical publishers of Boston.

INMATES ESCAPE

The Job Howard Home Was Destroyed

THE LOSS ESTIMATED AT $4,000

Believed to be Incendiary Origin

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BRIDGEWATER, Mass., Nov. 25.—The Job Howard Home for Discharged Criminals was destroyed by fire at an early hour this morning causing a loss estimated at $5,000. The inmates escaped safely and managed to save most of their personal belongings. It is believed that the fire was set. The property was partially insured.

The flames were first seen near the pantry on the main building in a part of the house where no combustibles are kept and which is intended to be inaccessible to anyone but managers of the house. An alarm was given quickly. Assistant Supt. Atwood seeing that all the inmates, thirteen in number, were aroused. The fact that all of them were found in their beds is given as additional proof that the fire was the work of an incendiary. Those in the house escaped as quickly as possible, taking with them what articles or personal belongings they could gather.

All efforts to subdue the flames were fruitless and the main building and an adjoining small structure, used as a repair shop, were burned. The other outbuildings were saved.

The John Howard Home grew out of a mission established in Boston several years ago to give assistance to those who had been in prison and who had found difficulty in obtaining work after their release. The home was opened on October 15, and it is expected it will be rebuilt.

SUNDAY SUBJECTS

TO BE PREACHED AT THE DIFFERENT CHURCHES.

First Unitarian—Morning, "The Spirit of Thanksgiving."

Centralville M. E.—Morning, "Advantage of Continuous No-License;" evening, third sermon on "Joseph," illustrated with blackboard sketches.

Worthen Street M. E. — Morning, Thanksgiving sermon; evening, revival love feast.

Christadelphian Ecclesia, Runels building—Morning, "The Meaning of the Christadelphian Movement."

Highland Congregational — Morning, Rev. Cyrus W. Richardson, D. D., of Nashua, N. H., will preach in exchange with the pastor; evening, preaching by the pastor, "The Cause of the Cross."

First Primitive Methodist—Morning, "The Accursed Thing;" evening, "The Unknown Brother," illustrated.

French Baptist, Centralville—Morning, Thanksgiving sermon; evening, Bible concert given by the Sunday school.

Paige Street Free Baptist—Morning, "Thankfulness;" evening, "If You Are Willing."

Free Church—Morning, "The Eye of One Who Prays."

Unity Meeting House — Afternoon, "Mississippi River Voices."

Highland M. E.—Morning, "A Helpmeet Indeed," evening, Sunday school concert.

St. Paul's M. E.—Morning, "A Grateful People;" evening, "The Ideal Woman."

Pawtucket—Morning, "Thanksgiving;" evening, "The Rich Man."

Second Church of Christ, Scientist—Odd Fellows' hall, Middlesex street—Morning, "God the Only Cause and Creator."

Grace Universalist—Morning, "The Story of the Helpful Queen."

Rev. A. V. Ward will preach morning and evening at the Dracut Centre Congregational church, Rev. F. I. Kelley, the pastor, will preach at Pelham, N. H.

Salvation Army—Regular services; Capt. Lasher, with string band, will be present at the evening service.

Central M. E.—Morning, "God's Challenge to His People;" evening, "The Unpardonable Sin."

Chelmsford Street Free Baptist—Morning, Thanksgiving sermon; evening, gospel service. Sunday school concert at noon.

Hillside church, Dracut — Morning, "Temperance;" evening, services led by Mrs. Coburn.

Mount Vernon Free Baptist— Morning, Thanksgiving sermon; evening, "Subulesion."

Elder I. M. Blanchard will preach at the Second Advent church, Grand street, morning and evening.

House of Prayer, (Episcopal)—7.10, matins; 7.30, holy communion; 10.45, choral eucharist; 4, evensong; 7, sermon.

Branch Street Baptist—Morning, A Scripture "Must." The morning offering will be for the Lowell General hospital. Evening, "Thanksgiving."

Mrs. Effie J. Webster, test medium, will occupy the platform for the first Spiritualist society in Old Odd Fellows' hall, Merrimack street, at 2.30 and 7 p. m.

John Street—Morning, "Reasons for Thanksgiving."

First Baptist—Morning "First Things;" evening, "Trumpet Call." Special Thanksgiving service.

There will be services at Highland hall Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock with a Bible reading on "Christ, Our High Priest, and His Ministration in the Heavenly Sanctuary."

Ayer City Union Mission Sunday school at 2. Preaching at 3. By Mr. A. C. Russell.

SOCIAL AND DANCE

UNDER AUSPICES OF THE SPINDLE CITY WHEELMEN.

Last evening the Spindle City Wheelmen held their eighth social and dance at Prescott hall, Runels building. Like the rest of the affairs that are run by the wheelmen, the dance was a most enjoyable one, and one which attracted a good many of the gentler sex. The hall was beautifully decorated with potted plant, and other decorations suitable for such an occasion. A dance program of 16 numbers with extras and an intermission, whiled away the hours until midnight. The officers of the dance were as follows:

General manager, Henry Peabody; assistant general manager, W. Campbell; floor director, George Casey; assistant floor director, M. L. Dickey; chief aid, W. Baldwin; aids, A. H. Casey, H. Humblett, C. Halstead, P. Kingsbury, V. Farrington, H. H. Farr, W. Muzzey, C. C. Tinker, G. Foster, A. Bolton, W. R. Cornell; chairman reception committee, James J. Rafter; reception committee, O. O'Hern, O. Grady, J. Scribner, T. Wilkinson, W. Dorr, C. E. Bonham, J. Cox, E. Lynde, J. McKay, C. Hamilton.

TWO DROWNED

SAILORS SWEPT FROM SCHOONER'S DECK.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

HALIFAX, N. S., Nov. 25.—The Gloucester schooner Lizzie M. Griffin, Captain Griffin, put in here today and reported the loss of two of her crew, who were swept from the deck last Friday night and drowned.

The lost men were John Nowlan and Harry Smith. A third man, Augustus Thayer, cook, had an arm and leg fractured.

The Griffin was slightly damaged by the storm in which the disaster occurred and lost all her boats.

Mr. John H. Condon, the popular janitor of the Edson school, and his estimable wife, are receiving congratulations on the arrival of a baby visitor at their home. The little one arrived Thursday.

OTIS' PRISONER

Senor Buencamino is a Prisoner.

HE WAS CAPTURED BY MAJOR CRONIN

Otis Says Insurrection is Over

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 25.—The following cablegram has been received at the war department from General Otis:

"Manila, Nov. 25.—Insurgents made feint on Imus last night. Three enlisted men wounded; their loss, two killed, one captured. Quickly withdrew. Additional troops sent from Manila today. Insurgents will be driven south. Reports from Negros encouraging. Chief insurgent leader north of island surrendered voluntarily. More planting being done. More sugar mills at work than at any time since revolution against Spain began. Officers report people apparently cheerful and hopeful; that form of government in operation well suited to conditions and working smoothly."

Buencamino, the brains of the insurrection, is locked up here in charge of Brigadier Gen. Edward Williston, the provost marshal. When Tarlac fell, Buencamino fled northward with Aguinaldo's three-year-old son and an old lady supposed to be the mother of Aguinaldo's confidential servant, Thos. Maxarine and a guard of a hundred soldiers. Reaching the neighborhood of the coast, November 13th, Buencamino found American soldiers on every side and escape impossible. So he sought refuge in a little Pangasinan village six miles from Manaoag, living in a mean little hut belonging to natives, who were lukewarm towards the insurrection. On learning his identity, refugees brought the news November 20, to Col. Luether Hare.

Hare is commanding the 33d infantry, garrisoning Managuing. After communicating with General Wheaton, Major Marcus D. Cronin's battalion surrounded the village, November 21. Buencamino guards had hidden their rifles and uniforms, and Buencamino surrendered without resistance. He had only a few clothes and $2000 in gold. General Wheaton kept the woman and sent Buencamino to Manila on the transport Brutus, in charge of Lieut. Smith of the 26th infantry. He seemed cheerful and rather glad that his troubles culminated. On the Brutus arriving at Manila this morning, Lieut. Smith took Buencamino to the palace. He was only a few minutes in Major-General Otis' office. The prisoner told General Otis that he desired peace and had for a long time used his influence for peace. Aguinaldo, he added, was retreating north with 2000 men and two cannon. General Otis then summoned Provost Marshal Williston, who previous to driving away with Buencamino, received instructions to lock him up in comfortable quarters and allow no person to see him.

Buencamino is the chief author of the Filipino constitution and most of the state documents.

COMMITTED SUICIDE

JAMES SIMPSON HAD A FIT OF DESPONDENCY.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

GARDINER, Me., Nov. 25—James Simpson, living on Summer street, committed suicide this morning about 12 o'clock, by taking an overdose of laudanum during a fit of despondency. A physician was called when his strange symptoms were noticed, but too late to render assistance. He regained consciousness long enough to say he had taken laudanum. He leaves a widow, and one daughter. He was about 43 years of age.

POLITICAL NOTES

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Editor Sun: I think that if the democrats of Ward Seven nominate James P. Keyes of Pawtucketville, he will beat Clarence Coburn for overseer of the poor with ease.

WARD SEVEN.

Editor Sun: Thomas F. Sheehan is a candidate for overseer of the poor at the coming caucuses, Monday evening, Nov. 27. Mr. Sheehan is a sterling democrat and was born in old Ward Three, democracy's stronghold, and was educated in the public schools and the voters of Ward Four may rest assured that if Mr. Sheehan is nominated that the interests of the ward will be guarded with zeal and ardor. He is at present employed as a plumber for the well known firm of Drury & Green and resides with his parents at 42 Kinsman street. The democrats of Ward Four can make no better selection than by putting a cross against the name of Thomas F. Sheehan. Signed,

VOTER.

Timothy D. Finnegan is a candidate for the common council from ward four and his many friends will be glad to vote for him. He has been rather late in launching his canvass but his friends will stand by him notwithstanding.

John B. Claney is hustling for the councilmanic nomination in ward four. He has discarded the broncho and is making his canvass on foot.

Editor Sun: Kindly permit me to advance the cause of Councilman Timothy Donohue from ward five in your valuable column. Mr. Donohue has served one term with credit to himself and his ward and is now seeking a second term. In ward four it is a time honored custom to give all councilmen a second term at least and for that reason there should be no opposition to Councilman Donohue.

WARD FOUR.

Editor Lowell Sun:—Permit me to voice the sentiments of many voters of ward five in behalf of a candidate for the common council. The ward should be represented by at least one live, hustling business man, a man whose success in his business is proof beyond doubt of his ability to serve his constituents in a becoming manner and whose honesty and uprightness cannot be questioned. Such you will find in Mr. Frank McGaughy whose many friends predict him as one of the three successful candidates.

CITIZEN WARD FIVE.

A GOOD WORD FOR GILBRIDE.

Gentlemen of ward four: We have three candidates for overseer of poor. I would ask the voters to look carefully into the matter and consider which one of the three would be the best friend of the poor, unfortunate inmates. Mr. Gilbride being a man of family and having had experience is he not best fitted for the position? He has always been the same old John—whether a candidate or not. Vote for Gilbride for overseer.

FROM THE FLATS.

LADY SALISBURY BURIED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LONDON, Nov. 25.—The funeral of Lady [illegible] November 20, was [illegible] Lord Salisbury was not present, owing to illness, but he attended private services.

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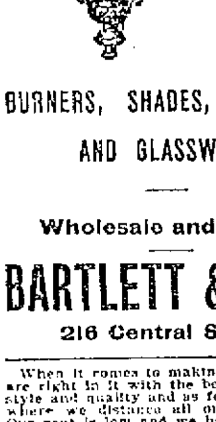

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SERGEANT WILLIAM ANTHONY, SAILOR OF THE BATTLESHIP MAINE WHO SUICIDED IN CENTRAL PARK, NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—William Anthony better known as "Brave Bill" Anthony, died at the Presbyterian hospital yesterday half an hour after he had swallowed a quantity of cocaine at one of the Central Park entrances.

William Anthony was the man who on February 15, 1898, when the battleship Maine was blown up in Havana harbor, reported to Captain Sigsbee the famous words: "Sir, I have the honor to report that the ship has been blown up and is sinking."

On his return to this country, Anthony was accorded receptions everywhere. He received invitations from cities to be their guest. For months he travelled over the country, being accorded the honors of a hero.

When his leave of absence was ended, Anthony was promoted to be a sergeant of marines and was detailed at the Brooklyn navy yard. Soon afterwards he was married. For several months past nothing has been heard of Anthony by the public.

Yesterday afternoon he was seen at the entrance to Central Park by several persons. Nearby were two park policemen and a park ambulance attendant. They saw Anthony but no particular attention was paid to him.

Suddenly he pulled a bottle from his coat pocket and placed it to his lips. In an instant the policemen were at his side, but it was too late. He had emptied the bottle. Anthony was carried to the ambulance and hurried to the Presbyterian hospital. He was not unconscious and on the way to the hospital he told the policeman that he lived in Albany refusing to disclose his identity. Nothing could be done to save his life and not until he died was it learned who he was.

In one of Anthony's pockets was found a letter written by him to his aunt, which stated that he was discouraged and disconsolate and was going to end it all. Among the other articles found was a picture of his one-month-old child on the back of which was written: "Bury this with me."

A Spanish-American war medal such as all the survivors of the battleship Maine received was also found. Anthony's wife it is said, lives in Guyanoga, Yates county, N. Y.

SECRET FOOTBALL

Played by the Tigers of Princeton

PREPARATORY TO THE YALE GAME

Team is Carefully Guarded Against Spies

When Sir Lipton's yacht Shamrock, says a New York writer, waltzed into the arena clad in petticoats, a new feature was introduced in sports which has spread with rapid contagion over the whole field from croquet to pugilistic. This new element in competitive sports is secrecy and football has been made a victim. Theosophy and Christian Science are tame diversions compared with the dark-lantern mysteriousness in which secret practices are conducted by the leading football teams this season. If this hide-and-seek tendency of football continues to develop, the game will soon drop out of sight altogether.

I was privileged to be present at the secret practice of the Princeton football team this week. I was just outside the secret and far enough away from the fence to be out of range of the howitzers posted around the gridiron to keep off the spies from Yale. The football field was completely isolated from the world and the practice as completely cut off from the world as the British garrison at Ladysmith.

I skirmished around outside the lines of sentinels, trying hard to find an elevated kopje somewhere from which I could get a glimpse of the field but the kopjes don't grow very high around Princeton and so I had to give it up and try strategy.

Every Princeton student is an old sleuth with his weather eye on the lookout for a Yale spy and the challenge "Who goes there?" is hurled at every unfamiliar face that peeps into college grounds.

A line of scouts stretch around the field on all sides, armed with clubs ready to repel the invaders. All the knot-holes in the fence are carefully plugged up with putty. Prof. Young's class in astronomy have their telescopes trained on the station at Princeton Junction and scan the surrounding country. Grover Cleveland is tramping the meadows with a Mauser slung over his shoulder guarding for Yalers. Freshmen armed with canes patrol the campus. It will go hard with the spy who dares to penetrate the secrets of the varsity practice. Nothing is allowed to leak out. The drains are plugged up. The sewers in literature are been with the science concealing every written thing that goes with it.

It is pretty safe to say that when the teams line up on the field Saturday the Yale team will walk over to the grandstand, take seats and watch the Princetonians do stunts wicked and wonderful. At any rate one would think from the mysterious practice and unusual precautions they have been taking that they were going to spring some new-fangled war dance on the bewildered Yalesters.

There is hardly any doubt that they have a skirt on the football, a la Lipton's Shamrock, to hide the beautiful lines of its physiognomy, and surely the players must be dressed in the fashion to conceal their shapes so that Yale can't possibly find out just how they size up in physical beauty. I have a suspicion that masks are worn also to conceal their faces.

For the information of Yale I wish to surmise that the new signals are simply undecipherable. They are very Chinesey and have been carefully worked out by the department of philology grinding overtime by rush lights. The whole Princeton department of Gnomonicry and odontics have been pumping perspiration over the intricacies of double passes and fake kicks down in the dark cellars of the dormitories.

On the field the signals are given in precipitated whispers by voices specially condensed in the physiological laboratory and sensitized ears have been supplied by the same agency. The players wear pneumatic shoes to deaden the sound of their tread on the earth so that information cannot reach Yale via China.

Overhead the atmosphere has been manipulated by scientific methods to escape the observation of balloons and in order to be perfectly safe from Yale all the blue rays from the daylight have been condensed into a large lump and cast into the furnace.

Yale doesn't know what she is going up against when she tackles these wily Tigers from Princeton Saturday. Nobody knows but the team and the coaches. And even they don't know when they get outside the grounds. Ask them and see. It will be pretty hard for the Tigers to have to give up their treasured secrets on Saturday after all the hard work they have expended in concealing them. Will they refuse to work their tricks on Yale? That is another secret.

CRISP GOSSIP.

The expression, "Let the office seek the man," did not originate in Kentucky.

This is a polite way of notifying a man's discharge from the reformatory. Mr. John Smith has just returned from a protracted visit to Concord Junction.

Hobo is a common word among the Sioux or Dakota Indians. They use the word in referring to young men who have nothing to do. An old chief will correct a son for such tendencies by saying, "You act like a hobo."

An enterprising young man with a big trunk stopped at a Chicago hotel. When he left the discovery was made that he had removed the carpet from his room and carried it away. The proprietor doesn't boast of it by the fact that he did not make a day with the hotel.

People who come to tell you how much they like you usually have an axe to grind.

Perhaps the weather man has been informed of the threatened coal famine.

November 13 has come and passed and did not prove so unlucky for the world after all. This was the date predicted by Prof. Rudolph Falb of Vienna for a comet to strike the earth and partially, if not wholly destroy it. The professor can now explain how the calamity was averted.

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HANDY WITH MITS

Gens. Miles and Wenton Were Clever Boxers

Think of the commanding general of the army and the commissary general of subsistence as the best boxers in the army! General Miles had used the gloves with great effect upon a great many of his fellow officers but he met his match in General Weston, and more than his match in Brigadier General Leonard A. Wood, now commanding the department of Santiago. The fight with General Weston was declared a draw, while in the "scrap" with General Wood General Miles got a crack on the jaw which caused him to be counted out.

General Miles and General Weston have always prided themselves upon their athletic accomplishments. Though both had seen hard service in the civil war and one of them had been wounded more than once in the Wilderness and the other had been through several arduous Indian campaigns on the frontier, they were at the time of the fight which is historic in the annals of the army, active and quick, in fact, "fit" for the work cut out for them.

Both were known as the crack boxers of the army. Which was the better of the two, was the question.

One bright, frosty morning after a deal of palavering at the officers' club General Miles and Captain Weston accompanied by six bottle holders, their seconds, two timekeepers, officers and the chaplain, who volunteered to act as referee, wended their way to a barracks, a mile or two from the post and stripped for action. No enlisted man was permitted to be present. It was remarked by several of the onlookers that "Weston was trained a bit too fine," but "John stripped beautifully."

After the chaplain had instructed the principals in the center of the ring, they were gloved and ordered to their corners.

As there was no gong, it was agreed that the referee should clap his hands and cry "Quit!" at the end of every three minutes; then the principals were to retire each to his corner for refreshment and rest.

"Gentlemen, let her go," said the referee, "but gently, gentlemen. Do not, I beg of you, excite yourselves. Be calm, gentlemen."

The round ended, the chaplain clapped his hands, shouted "Quit!" and the principals retired each to his corner. Again the principals advanced to the center of the ring, and after a few exhibition of sparring Miles made a tremendous effort and upper cut, but the blow missed Weston, who whirled around to deliver a pivot blow, which Miles dodged, but the lunges were such that Weston kept spinning like a top until the chaplain again clapped his hands and shouted "Quit!" Weston went to his corner groggy.

After five more rounds the chaplain, after long consultation and much argument with the witness, solemnly announced that it was a draw and declared all bets off.

That was satisfactory, but it was found that the principals were completely exhausted by their efforts, so much so, indeed, that it was necessary to send to the coast for the water wagon to convey them to the hospital, where they remained under the surgeons' treatment for three weeks.

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LABOR MATTERS

FARM AND CITY LABOR.

SOME INTERESTING FIGURES FROM AN INDIANA STATE BUREAU.

Farm Laborers $13.89 a Month, With Their Board—Wages of City Worker Higher, but His Rural Brother Has Some Advantages.

State Statistician Connors has just completed the compilation of statistics out of the ordinary, which will, though they apply to Indiana alone, be of general interest over the Mississippi valley, as they are probably the first compiled in any of the great valley states which bear upon the condition and wage of farm labor. He has accumulated his information through canvass made by township trustees. There are a few of the 1,480 trustees who failed to make the report, but what has been brought together gives a very fair insight to the farm labor conditions in this and other states of the valley, where the conditions are practically the same.

There are 33,404 men employed on Indiana farms. They are receiving an average wage of $13.89 a month, together with their board. There are 11,714 women employed on farms as domestics and in other capacities. Their average pay is $1.58 a week, together with their board. The wages of farm hands range from $10.50—the lowest found in Jackson county—to $16.70 a month, the average in Warren county. The highest wage paid to the women is $2.19 a week, in Newton county. This, of course, includes board. Marion county heads the list with the number of women employed in homes, with 1,615, while Knox leads in the number of male farm hands with 972. The county employing the least number is diminutive Ohio, which has but 29. The counties having next to the highest number of farm hands are Tippecanoe, 838; Benton, the same number; Shelby, 851; Posey, 821, and Marion, 664. Putnam and Newton are next to Warren in highest wages, paying respectively $16.55 and $16.17.

These figures, which show rather meager wages on a cash basis, however, have to be taken with some allowance, and it is difficult to ascertain the true status of the farm hand compared with the laborer in the city. Whether he shall be counted as a common or a skilled laborer makes a very great difference. On a basis of scientific horticulture and agriculture, at least 90 per cent of them would be classed as common laborers. If this is their classification, they are much better off than the common laborer in the cities and towns of Indiana, as statistics recently compiled through the same avenues will show. If, however, it is considered that they are masters of an art and are therefore skilled laborers, their cash wages do not compare favorably with those of the workers in shops and factories. If there is in farm work a circumscribed opportunity beyond which the farm boy cannot step higher than the status of a common laborer—on at least a wage basis—the figures which have just been compiled, taken together with those which follow, will in a measure answer forcibly that long mooted question, "Why do the boys leave the farm?"

Indiana skilled labor is well paid. The wages compare very favorably with the states showing the highest. In most of the industries indicated below the wage scales are drafted and annually accepted by national wage committees of manufacturers and workers. This makes an equality on wages all over the nation. Wages of skilled workers—in Indiana—making agricultural implements and machinery average $1.92 a day; makers of engines, boilers and machinery average $2.02; furniture makers, $1.63; glass workers, $1.95; iron and steel workers, $2.20; paper and paper ware makers, $1.81; railway construction, equipment and shipbuilders, $2.06; wagon and buggy makers, $1.61; tin plate makers, $3.35 (the highest wage paid in the state); planing mill skilled workers, $1.88; brewers, $1.78; an average of $2.75. These figures cover but a few of the principal industries.

It is difficult to average the wage of the common laborers in Indiana. Many of them receive very remunerative pay and others doing more mental work are getting pauper wages. There are so many things that have to be considered that thus far it has been found impossible to take a census covering this information. It has been estimated, however, that common laborers above the age of 16—under which labor is termed "child"—average between 65 and 75 cents a day in Indiana and that this is a very great improvement in the last several years. In this classification, however, are included all workers who "shift" for themselves, many of whom are unable to find employment.

In casting the totals of the city and country workers, another very great item also has to be taken into consideration. The farm laborer is provided with board and lodging, items of expense which amount to much with city workers. It is estimated that this averages $1 a week.

The extra expenses which the town and city man has also have to be taken into consideration. All of these figures are on a basis of average; they should not be accepted as special estimates on living. There are some farm laborers in Indiana who are getting $22 to $25 a month; there are some specially skilled workers who are getting extra compensation, but those paid lower wages lessen the showing.

Figures can also be laid which will show the opportunity for rising above the lower level of a worker into that of an employer or landowner. It is claimed that the opportunity of the farmer boy is better in this respect than of the city workman.—Indianapolis Letter in Chicago Record.

A TYPICAL HOODLUM.

A Product of Nineteenth Century So Called Christian Civilization.

Jacob Bereshein was 15 when he was charged with murder, says Jacob A. Riis in September Atlantic. It is now more than three years ago, but the touch of his hand is cold upon mine with mortal fear as I write. Every few minutes, during our long talk on the night of his arrest and confession, he would spring to his feet and, clutching my arm as a drowning man catches at a rope, demand with shaking voice, "Will they give me the chair?" The assurance that boys were not executed quieted him only for the moment. Then the dread and the horror were upon him again.

Jacob is a type of the street boy on the east side, where he belonged. What does not apply to him applies to his class. But there was very little of it indeed that he missed or that missed him.

He was born in a tenement where the sunlight "never entered." Darkness and discouragement did, and dirt.

The street taught him gambling as its first lesson and stealing as the next. The two are never far apart. From shooting craps behind the "cop's" back to filching from the grocer's stock is only a step. Then there was the law which sternly commanded him to go to school, and which he laughed at every day. Then there was the law to prevent child labor. It cost 25 cents for a false age certificate to break that, and Jacob, if he thought of it at all, probably thought of perjury as rather an expensive thing. A quarter was a good deal for the right to lock a child up in a factory when he ought to have been at play. The excise law was everybody's game. The sign that hung in every saloon saying that nothing was sold there to minors never yet barred out his "growler" when he had the price. There was another such sign in the tobacco shop, forbidding the sale of cigarettes to boys of his age.

Jacob calculated that when he had the money he smoked as many as 15 in a day, and he laughed when he told me. He laughed, too, when he remembered how the boys of the east side took to carrying balls of cord in their pocket, on the wave of the Lexow reform, on purpose to measure the distance from the school door to the nearest saloon. They had been told that it should be 200 feet according to law. There were schools that had as many as a dozen within the tabooed limits. It was in the papers how, when the highest courts said that the law was good, the saloon keepers attacked the schools as a nuisance and detrimental to property. Jacob sided with the saloon keeper, not because he had any opinion about it, but because it seemed natural. Such opinions as he ordinarily had he got from that quarter.

When, later on, he came to be tried, his counsel said to me, "He is an amazing liar." No, hardly amazing. It would have been amazing if he had been anything else. Lying and mockery were all around him, and he adjusted himself to the things that were. He lied in self defense.

The New American Way.

There is a bright outlook for the model garment making colony established at New Orange, N. J., by Max Ernst, the New York clothing manufacturer. Fifty families left New York the other day for the new settlement. Ernst is conducting a large workroom on Broadway, near Spring street—a kind of training school, from which are graduated the workers for New Orange, where it is intended ultimately to employ 600 operatives.

General Secretary White of the National Garment Workers' union, speaking of this improvement by Ernst in the method of manufacturing clothing, said: "The sweatshop has existed so long because we have been willing to adopt the methods of continental Europe. We are making clothing as they make it in the sweatshops of Russia, Germany and Austria, and we ought to be ashamed to confess it. The new American way is to give the workers plenty of room, light and fresh air. All these things they will get, as I understand it, at New Orange."

Benevolence of Big Six.

Apropos of the bitter war of misrepresentation and vilification which the New York Sun is carrying on against Typographical union No. 6—against all unions of labor, in fact—it is well to know that during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1899, No. 6 disbursed to its unemployed and retired members, $32,925.27; paid funeral benefits in the same period, $10,950.00; paid the Childs-Drexel home for aged printers, $6,250; paid to its farm project, an experimental plan to aid the unemployed, $3,453.25; for headstones to mark the graves of deceased members, $243.91; paid to New York hospitals, $1,461.90. Showing a total of $55,284.93 expended for benevolent purposes in a single year, while during the same period No. 6 expended only $165.26 in the conduct of strikes and warfare with employers.

Wright on Machinery.

There has been no debasement of humanity by the substitution of machinery for human labor, and there is no danger in such substitution. Machinery has not helped to create new and tremendous inequalities of society or turned thousands into tramps and vagabonds or hardened the natural selfishness of men in any way, as is so often asserted. It has been the means of reducing the workday from 12 to 14 hours to 9 or 10, and the inevitable result will be the still further reduction in the time necessary for the earning of a living. It has not only shortened the work day; it has also increased the remuneration per hour.—Carroll D. Wright.

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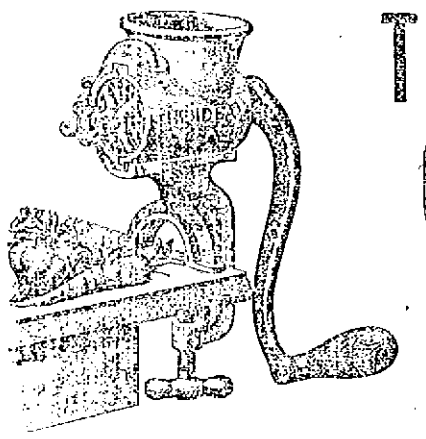

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LITERARY NOTES.

A few weeks ago since, being thereunto impelled by the very favorable notices in the Times and other journals, I read Mr. Winston Churchill's now famous novel, "Richard Carvel," and while in the vein, concluded to read "Hugh Wynne, Free Quaker," to my have read "Richard Carvel" with unmitigated pleasure and "Wynne" with wonder. Had the reverse of "Wynne" preceded that of "Carvel" I would have wondered still more as I read the latter. "Carvel" is to be "Wynne" in many respects. Dr. Mitchell's novel in date preceded Mr. Churchill's and as the latter author read all the historical and semi-historical matter that had been written around revolutionary times, the inference is that he included "Hugh Wynne." If not, it is remarkable how closely the hero followed Dr. Mitchell's Free Quaker. Private Wynne in Annapolis and Carvel in Philadelphia, and the story of one would fit that of the other. Hugh was worried by a bad scheming cousin; Richard's uncle was his bete noir. Hugh had an always present fairy godmother; Richard's grandfather was his protecting angel. In his youth Hugh's gout prostrated him a more "lame" foot as the wind and he became a masterful rider, which served him well later in the war—Richard's grandfather bought him "Firefly," a mare of lively disposition, and he learned to ride her like a centaur which afterward served him well when challenged to ride the wild stallion in London streets.

Hugh's father was an uncompromising tory; Richard's grandfather loved the king next to his God. Hugh early imbibed Whig principles from his friend, Wilson, the lawyer, carefully concealing the fact from his father; Richard as a boy was hanged partially dead by his friend, Rawlins, the lawyer, and his grandfather did not hear of the fact for years after. Hugh went to an academy in the Quaker City and showed his courage in several skirmishes with—Richard did the same at Annapolis. When Hugh was only a lad of a boy an old soldier given to prophecy in his idle moments predicted that some day he would be a great general, and addressed an ancient martial verse to his cane sword. Richard's boyhood friend and confidant he would be one of a sea-faring of renown. Exciting is the duel which Hugh and his bosom friend fight with the two British officers who thought them deficient in courage. Equally well told is the pasta a quartre in which Richard and his bosom friend engage with their unscrupulous adversaries in the darkness of Vauxhill gardens. The love stories of Hugh and Dorthea and Richard and Dorothy run in parallel lines; the two girls are as like in temperament and disposition as in name.

There are a few of the parallel lines; both are wonderfully interesting; both exceedingly well writ; but how I wished when I concluded "Hugh Wynne, Free Quaker" that it had come first to me or that I read only "Richard Carvel." I shall say precisely.—Writer in New York Times.]

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SYNDICATE BALL

Ebbetts of Brooklyn Opposes It

MAY DROP DODGERS FROM LEAGUE

News of the Base Ball World

Charley Ebbets, president of the Brooklyn Base Ball club, talked base ball yesterday. He took under consideration many of the rumors flying about, relative to base ball in general and the Brooklyn club in particular. He was very reluctant at first to say nothing, but finally told a reporter what follows:

"Things are going smoothly now and I don't care to bring myself into controversy with those in or out of the influence of the National League.

"But regarding the dropping of the Brooklyn club from the league, I think there isn't any probability of that. I think, really, there is no intention on the part of the league magnates to attempt to force the club out. Our contract with the National League does not expire for two years to come, and it was entered into when Brooklyn was a city in itself. The consolidation of the two cities should not affect it in the least, to my mind.

"Why should Brooklyn be dropped? Haven't we always tried to furnish good base ball? Haven't we always shown that we had the elevation of the game at heart?

"The game became rather dull in Brooklyn in 1898. We were nearly as good as other teams, but the patrons of the game clamored for better ball. Something had to be done. What then? We consolidated with Baltimore, brought the best players into the Brooklyn team, and gave our city better satisfaction for their money than they had had for some time. If other teams had done likewise the ideal in base ball would have been reached.

"We made money in Brooklyn last year and what is more the balance in Baltimore was on our side.

"Our feeling toward New York has always been friendly. Why the better the team New York has the more will the game in New York be pleased. Keen rivalry between the two boroughs brings greater interest into the game and tends to lessen the discontent among those interested in the sport.

"New York should have a good team, and we will give any assistance in our power to improve its team, or any other team in the league. New York could have had McGraw, Robinson and Griffin last year if it wanted them, but I am inclined to believe that there would be some hesitancy on our part to let McGraw and Robinson go now. I am afraid the game in Baltimore would fall dead if they were taken from the team.

However, I think next year will see the game on a better footing all around. There appears to be no dissension anywhere—all the managers seem to be working together.

Relative to the new association, Mr. Ebbets said he thought there was not the least foundation for it, particularly not in a city where a league team has already been established.

"The old brotherhood taught a lesson which, I think, has not been forgotten," said he. "Knowing this failure, men will not put money into this venture."

"Syndicate base ball? Well, to speak candidly, I am not in favor of syndicate base ball. I think each team should be under the control of individual management. Sell Baltimore? Yes. If we received sufficient compensation for our interests in Baltimore we would be only too willing to let it go. While syndicate base ball may improve one team, it causes harsh feeling toward it from the other clubs."

Brooklyn will probably strengthen the team next year, Mr. Ebbets said, but that matter is entirely in Mr. Hanlon's hands.

The hottest of times are predicted when the magnates making up the National League and American association of base ball clubs get together for the annual confab on Dec. 12th. One of the biggest questions that will confront the base ball moguls is that of "syndicate ball." Those who profess to "know it all" say this brand of the national pastime will be eradicated and that when next season starts each club will be operated by different owners. It is hard to figure how the eradication of syndicate ball can be accomplished without some awkward disclosures being made. There are more magnates that one that operate one club and hold big pieces of stock in another.

Ned Hanlon, the manager of the Brooklyn club and president of the Baltimore club, talks as follows on syndicate ball. I think the ownership of the several clubs should be distinct, but there is a vast amount of canting hypocrisy in this matter. The syndicate business was forced upon us. We would gladly have parted with our interest in the Baltimore club last year, and I believe that separate owners for the clubs would be best for the game. After the season was opened the two clubs were as distinctly kept apart as any two teams in the league. Even when the Brooklyns were badly pressed for players we did not take any from the Baltimore club but spent large sums in getting players from other sources. Baltimore was allowed to develop its players without any interference from Brooklyn, and I will leave it to any one who saw the games to judge as to the intense rivalry between the two teams."

That there are others benefited by syndicate ball Hanlon wishes to prove by these utterances: "Now, I want to call your attention to another aspect of syndicate ball which has not received half the attention it deserves, particularly in view of the recent remarks of Mr. Soden of the Boston club. Well, last fall when the struggle between Boston and Brooklyn was at its height and Boston needed strengthening, what did Mr. Soden do? Why, he went over to his New York club and had Meekin the Giants' great twirler, transferred to Boston without paying a sou. That was syndicate ball with a vengeance. And yet Mr. Soden poses as a base ball reformer, and talks about the wickedness of Brooklyn, Baltimore and St. Louis. I think Mr. Soden had better remove that lumber yard from his own eyes before he goes hunting for beams in his neighbor's optics."

The news that the Colonels are to be dropped from the major organization has set many to thinking the league next year will cover an eight-club circuit. Those who think this way figure that besides the Colonels, Washington, Cleveland and Brooklyn will be dropped. It is hard to foretell just how big the circuit will be, but those who believe they ought to know say that if the league is reduced in size only two clubs—the Louisvilles and the Clevelands—will be excluded.

President Jim Hart of the Chicago club labels the story that all the Louisville players will be sought by his club, a "pipe." He says there is absolutely no truth in it. The Windy City fans are sorry to hear it. The story is a most interesting one. It names Fred Clarke for the Chicago outfield with Jimmy Ryan and Sandow Mertes and also as captain of the Colts. It puts Hans Wagner on third or short or possibly on first, with the others playing bench and Cunningham taking a turn with the pitching bunch. It is a beautiful dream and the fans would like to see it come true. Jim Hart declares there is not a word of truth in it from beginning to end. Still the Loftus rumor bobs up with charming persistency. It is similar to the story that Ban Johnson would succeed Nick Young and from the same source.

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SECOND ELEVEN

OF HIGH SCHOOL DEFEATED THE CHELMSFORD HIGH.

The second High school eleven had a regular walkover with the Chelmsford High eleven at Chelmsford Centre yesterday, the local team winning by a score of 38 to 0. The local boys were heavier and better fitted for the game than their Chelmsford opponents. From the start of the game the Chelmsford youngsters took but little part in the matter of advancing the ball for they only had it about twice during the 40 minutes of play. O'Brien, Bean, Bowen and Murphy played well for the local team as did Morrison and Butterfield. Seeton, J. Davis and Holt were the only players to do any good work for the losing team. The line-up:

Lowell	Chelmsford
O'Brien (capt.) le	re, Stearns
French, lt	rt, Howe
Murphy (Butterfield) lg	rg, Hunt
McQuade, c	c, J. Davis
Gray, rg,	lg, McNutt
Staples, rt,	lt, Adams
Haley, re	le, Howard
Perkins, qb	qb, Howard
Bowen, lhb	rhb Holt
Drury, rhb	lhb, Redman
Morris (Church) rb	fb Blaisdell

Score—Lowell High, 38, Chelmsford 0. Touchdowns—Scored by Bean, Morrison (2), Bowen (3). Goals from touchdowns—Gray (2), Morrison. Referee—J. Drury. Umpire—F. O'Sullivan. Linesmen—Emerson and Nichols. Timekeepers—Murphy and Stearn. Time—20 minute halves.

CROSS COUNTRY RUN

WON BY LITTLE JACKSON PALMER.

A cross country run was managed by the High school boys yesterday morning and there were ten competitors. The start was made from the school at 8.30 and the destination was Haggett's Pond, which is five miles and return. The boys were out early and were in fine fettle to race, all clothed in their sweaters and running suits. The following were the men entered: Jackson Palmer, Fred Meredith, Herbert Goddard, Fisher Nesmith, Osborne Cilley, Joshua Herrick, Lovejoy Russell, J. Meredith and H. Coburn.

At 8.30 sharp they started from the school at a good clip and were keeping close abreast the greater part of the way, but finally when they viewed the destination Jack Palmer was out for first honors and he took a sudden brace and took the lead, finishing first.

His time was 45 minutes. Russell finished second and Goddard third.

They had a walking match home and covered the distance in one hour and thirty minutes. Palmer, the winner of the first place, showed skill in his running and it was through his coolheadedness that he won the first place.

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE MIDDLESEX CO-OPERATIVE BANK.

The seventh annual meeting of the Middlesex Co-operative bank was held last evening at Room 2, Hildreth building. The report for the year ending Oct. 27, 1899, was read as follows:

Cash Account—On hand Oct. 28, 1898, $7,383.34; total received during the year, $56,158.22; total, $63,541.56. Total paid out, $48,558.46; balance on hand, $14,983.10; total, $63,541.56.

Assets—Real estate loans, $100,909; share loans, $7,525; permanent expenses, $50; suspense, $523; cash on hand, $14,983.10; total, $124,011.10.

Liabilities — Dues capital, $106,404.00; profits, $16,888.22; surplus, $855.82; guarantee fund, $227.06; total, $124,011.10.

The officers are: President, Jesse H. Shepard; vice president, George A. Scribner; clerk and treasurer, William D. Brown; directors for three years, John M. Kingsbury, George A. Roper, George S. Fenderson; auditors, John J. Bancroft, Jr., William R. Killpartrick, Michael J. Burns.

MUSIC HALL

Another good-sized audience attended Music Hall last evening to witness the second performance of A. L. Scammon's "Sleeping City." The play met with the same success as on the previous evening. The scenery was excellent and the cast strong. The play is full of fine specialties, notable among them being the singing and dancing by Miss Dell Lincoln and Lester A. Davis and that of Fred and Nellie Daly were the hits of the evening. The burning of the insane asylum is strikingly realistic. The last two performances will be given this afternoon and evening, when the engagement comes to a close.

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FRENCH BOXING

Is Considered Very Cruel In This Country

LA SARATE STYLE NOT POPULAR HERE

All the Boxing News of the Day

The "savate" style of fighting as employed by the French has been the cause of much discussion since the recent defeat of Jerry Driscoll, the ex-champion of the British navy, by M. Charlemont, the Frenchman. In this bout Charlemont used his hands and feet, while Driscoll fought as he agreed, with only his hands.

A description of the contest is worth reproduction. In part it is as follows:

The bout resulted in a disgusting exhibition. Long before it commenced the hall was packed, notwithstanding the fact that as much as 20 francs ($4) a head was asked for admission.

After the first round Driscoll who had been studying the kicking tactics of his opponent, set to work to beat Charlemont at all points. At the end of the third round the fight was over, for the Frenchman was then all but a wreck. Then disgraceful tactics were indulged in by the organizers under the pretense that Driscoll's seconds had encouraged him during the round. This excuse was made to give Charlemont time to recover.

As the fight proceeded Driscoll won again on fouls, as he was able to show the marks of Charlemont having bitten him. Charlemont in the eighth round took advantage of a clinch and used his knee in brutal fashion, and in contravention of the rules. Driscoll fell in terrible agony, and the fight was awarded to Charlemont amid cries of "Vive la France!" Charlemont was enthusiastically kissed by his admirers. The state of Driscoll at the close of the encounter is described as "simply pitiable." He soon pulled himself together again.

After this fight Kid McCoy challenged M. Charlemont, offering to meet him in a contest for $5,000 a side. McCoy agreed to allow the Frenchman to employ all his tricks of "savate" style of fighting, while he would confine himself to an attack with his hands.

The Frenchman refused to meet McCoy, or rather, never answered his defi.

A professor of "la savate" was brought over from France to meet one of the English pugs. At the last moment no Englishman could be induced to fight the Frenchman, and an Irishman, Jim Donohue, by name, consented to tackle "Frenchy."

A description of the fight is printed here:

Donohue hadn't been in the ring many seconds when the Frenchman commenced the battle with a "cow-kick," a sharp roaster that in this case was only hard enough to be irritating, but it can be given by an expert with sufficient force to dislocate the knee joint.

Jim winced a bit from botheration rather than anything else, but did not lower his guard. A second later the Frenchman gave him the coup de flanc, which consisted in suddenly swinging up the knee of the fighting foot and planting the heel with great force under the Irishman's jaw. Jim went flying over the ropes and up against the wainscot, which abutted on one side of the ring.

He was considerably staggered when he got up, but with true Irish fondness for a bit of punishment, he went at the froggy again, only to catch another kick fairly under he chin, and away went James to the old spot as if he was taking the wall with him.

"Oh, by the Virgin," said he, as he rested in his corner, " 'tis like fightin' a horse."

All through the minute's interval Donohue's second dinned it into the Irishman to "slip him" and then come in with a right-handed punch. So time being called, James went in with great caution and with his eyes fixed on his adversary's feet—a strong characteristic of "Kid" Lavigne's style, by the way.

It was good advice that the second gave his man, for in the round that followed the Frenchman after manoeuvring for some seconds, let go a mighty kick, which Jim saw coming, just in time to step aside. Before the Frenchman could recover his equilibrium Donohue stepped in with his right foot, and with his right fist landed his opponent a tremendous smash squarely on the jaw. The French professor fell all in a heap in the opposite corner of the ring and for several seconds lay quite motionless.

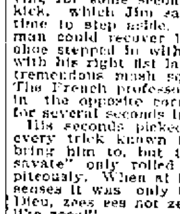
His seconds picked him up and tried every trick known to the fraternity to bring him to, but the exponent of "la savate" only rolled about and groaned piteously. When at last he awoke to his senses it was only to howl: "Oh, mon Dieu, zees ees not ze boxe; I vill not do like zees!"

An idea of the "la savate" method of fighting with the feet may be obtained from the following:

In using his foot, the Frenchman generally swings round on one leg and shoots out the other sideways, sometimes shooting right up over his opponent's head. The same movement often includes quick, successive kicks at different parts of the body, for instance, the chest, and then the head. Occasionally the kick may be a running one, straight to the front, but, in fact, all sorts of attitudes are assumed in the delivery of the blow. The kicks, it is to be noticed, are invariably defended with the arms, the hands, of course, being encased in the customary boxing gloves. As a means of defense the foot is seen to advantage in what is known as the "coup d'arret," which consists simply in stopping your opponent by thrusting out the foot at right angles against his chest. One way of meeting a kick is, of course, to seize your opponent's foot, if you can catch it. He may release himself with a jerk or by resting his hands on the ground and kicking his free leg; but on the other hand, the man with the imprisoned limb may sometimes be hurled backwards to the ground. In addition to the use of the "coup d'arret," a French boxer possesses an advantage over an English opponent in his liberty to use the "back-heel throw." This simply means putting the foot behind your opponent's heel and tripping him up, or in the alternative, seizing him behind the heel with the hand and so hurling him onto his back. Finally, wrestling can be added to boxing, and the proceedings made to assume the aspect of a mixture of boxing, wrestling and acrobatic feats.

The prospects of a fight being arranged between Bob Fitzsimmons and Tom Sharkey are not very promising at the present time, owing to the fact that Lanky Bob has said he will not fight anyone but Jeffries, his conqueror. After the recent battle between Jeffries and Sharkey Tom O'Rourke, manager of Sharkey, feeling satisfied that Jeffries would not consent to meet the sailor again, in less than a year at the earliest, at once began to plan for a fight between Sharkey and Fitzsimmons. O'Rourke got one of Lanky Bob's closest friends to find out for him if he would box Sharkey. Martin Julian, manager of Fitzsimmons, informed this person that the latter would not fight anyone but Jeffries. On the strength of this information O'Rourke has decided not to issue a challenge to match Sharkey against Fitzsimmons as he claims it would only be a waste of precious time. A fight between Fitzsimmons and Sharkey, either at Coney Island or at the Lenox Athletic club, would attract an immense crowd.

Terry McGovern, the little fighting wonder of South Brooklyn, who recently added more fame to his career by knocking out Patsey Haley and Billy Smith, of Philadelphia, in the same ring in Chicago, will arrive in New York on Monday. Upon his arrival Terry will begin training for his 20-round bout with Eddie Sprague, of Chicago, which takes place at the Nutmeg State club of Hartford on Thanksgiving day. McGovern will in all probability get in shape for this encounter at Path's road house, on Jerome avenue, where he trained for his battles with Pedlar Palmer and Johnnie Ritchie.



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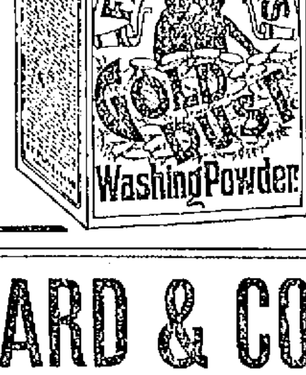

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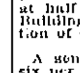

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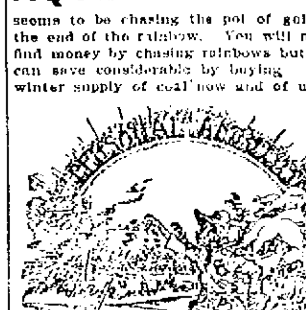

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In button and lace, whose lasts adjust the shoes to the feet, without the worry of stiffness, making them like $3.00 shoes. They cost

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

THE SUN ON SALE IN BOSTON.

The five o'clock edition of The Sun is on sale at the news stand in the Union Station, Boston.

DOUBLE TURKEY ROASTERS.

Our usual Thanksgiving offer with a pound of tea and coffee is a large size double turkey roaster. Be sure and get one. Dickson Bros., the big tea dealers, 95 Merrimack street.

MISTAKES DO HAPPEN.

Now if you were to make a mistake and did not know it, you would be satisfied that everything was all right. If you have occasion to buy flowers or floral designs, you make a mistake if you don't buy them of us. You ask "Why?" Well, we have the largest and best stock of cut flowers and we have exclusive ideas and designs for floral work. Patten and Roberts, leading florists, 5 Merrimack square. Telephone 65-2.

LOCAL NEWS.

Don't miss Ludwig.

Try Horne's Coal.

BURN WILSON'S COAL.

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Have you had Pelham cigars?

Go to Devine's for trunks, 88 Merr'k.

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Stratton's concert next Wednesday evening. Seats at Ellingwood's, Saturday.

Banjos, Guitars, Mandolins, music, strings, and instruction. W. E. Stratton, J. A. Handley, 14 Hildreth Bld'g.

There is a winter opening of fine millinery Friday and Saturday, the 24th and 25th, at Gregoire's. All invited. Telephone, 843-4.

If you are going to build or alter your building, and want masons' supplies, W. E. Livingston can furnish you with the best of stock at low prices.

RAILROAD FIREMEN.

A regular meeting of the Brotherhood of Railroad Firemen was held last night in Pilgrim hall.

Five new members were received into the brotherhood, and eight propositions were received. After the business was transacted, an informal entertainment was enjoyed, many of the talent from the local theatres volunteering their services. A supper was served under the direction of Joe Legasse and Mish Murray.

Y. M. C. I. TOURNAMENT.

In the Y. M. C. I. bowling tournament last evening, team five defeated team eight by a margin of 32 pins.

Ed. Murphy was the high man of the game, making 67 for the three strings, while Burns with 170 held the best single string. The score:

TEAM FIVE.				
McMahon	132	150	118	400
E. Murphy	152	151	164	467
Gooklin	130	122	160	412
*Tobin	101	101	102	304
*Buckley	100	109	100	309
Totals	614	593	672	1879
TEAM EIGHT.				
Burns	147	124	170	441
Duggan	103	125	137	365
Watson	114	119	120	353
O'Brien	130	110	112	352
*J. Murphy	100	100	100	300
Totals	571	587	652	1810

*Absent.

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

Integrity lodge, M. E., I. O. O. F., held their regular meeting last night in Manchester Unity hall and four new members were initiated.

The meeting of Lowell lodge, No. 17, N. A. E. E. was held last night in Engineer's hall and several applications were received and accepted. The members are completing arrangements for an open meeting which will be held in the near future. The public and especially the press of Lowell will be invited to attend this meeting. The employment committee has received more applications for engineers than it is able to supply. If there are any first class engineers out of employment, it will be to their advantage to communicate with employment committee of Lowell No. 17.

An enthusiastic meeting was held last evening by the Sons of St. George at Post 155 hall. The chief business of the evening was the election of officers and the result being as follows: Worthy president, James Wilmont; worthy vice president, Joseph Fielding; worthy secretary, Sam Asquith; worthy treasurer, Peter Bennett; worthy messenger, James Bennett; worthy assistant secretary, Samuel Holgate; trustee, Frank T. Hanford; lodge physician, Dr. W. B. Jackson.

The next meeting of the members will be held Friday, December 1, when the installation of officers will take place. District Deputy Sydney Cowperthwaite and suite of Lawrence will officiate.

Dahlgren post, G. A. R., held their regular meeting in the upper hall of Memorial building. There was a large attendance of members and two recruits were sworn in. Routine business was transacted. There were speeches for the good of the union by Rasel S. Ripley, Col. Charles Brigham and Comrades Hawes and Plumstead. Officers for the ensuing year were nominated. A comfortable campfire lunch was served after the meeting.

A progressive whist party was entered by Lowell lodge, No. 95, I. O. O. F., in their hall in the Odd Fellows' building, last evening. The playing began at 8.30 and was continued for two hours. There were twenty-five tables in progress, making an even hundred players. Refreshments was served by the good of the order committee.

The monthly circle of the Hathbone Sisters was held Thursday afternoon and evening at the residence of Mrs. Charles A. Frost, corner of Fuller and D streets. A business session was held in the afternoon which was followed by a supper and a pleasant time during the evening.

Yesterday afternoon the Unity club met at the residence of Mrs. Alpere Hilton Gibson on Wilder street. It was voted to hold a sale on December 14th at the residence of Mrs. Frank E. Shaw at Tyler Park.

Court Gen. Shields will observe the tenth anniversary of the organization of the court by holding a smoke talk and entertainment next February.

HAD NARROW ESCAPE

IN A COLLISION ON THE LAWRENCE ROAD.

Last evening, Mr. John J. Regan, proprietor of the Old Washington Tavern, came near losing his life, while returning from a trip to Lawrence. Mr. Regan was driving over the road, and as the night was very dark it was all that he could do to guide the horse. When about where the old Eagle house stands, a team coming in the opposite direction and driven by George Clough, collided with that of Mr. Regan.

His turnout was badly wrecked, and his horse, which is a spirited animal, made a break and soon kicked itself free from the carriage. Mr. Regan, however, pluckily held on to the reins, and although dragged quite a distance along the roadway, managed to retain his grip upon the ribbons and finally brought the animal to a standstill. Mr. Clough helped Mr. Regan into his carriage and drove back to Lowell. Aside from the ruination of a suit of clothes and the destruction of a new derby, he was none the worse for his thrilling experience, and told a Sun reporter that it was nothing, simply an accident.

WILLIAM MILLER, THE SELF-CROWNED NAPOLEON OF FINANCE WHO HAS BEEN OPERATING THE "FRANKLYN SYNDICATE" IN BOSTON CLAIMING TO PAY 620 PER CENT. A YEAR. HIS DUPES HAVE BEEN DEPOSITING WITH HIM ABOUT $25,000 A DAY FOR MONTHS.

MILLER HAS FLED

With the Money Obtained From Poor People

On the Promise of Ten Per Cent Dividends — Millions Probably Gone—Part of the Booty Found

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—William F. Miller, head of the Franklin syndicate which it is alleged, has accepted the deposits of thousands of persons in Brooklyn under promise of paying dividends of 10 per cent. a week or 520 per cent. per annum, and Cecil Leslie, his secretary, were indicted by the Kings County grand jury this afternoon.

Bench warrants were issued for the arrest of these two men but up to quite a late hour last night neither had been found, the police saying that they had disappeared in the afternoon.

Last night the police under charge of Capt. Reynolds, chief of detectives in Brooklyn, Inspector Brennan and Police Captain Lee, raided the premises occupied by the Franklin syndicate on Floyd street, Brooklyn. There was a great crowd of people around the building and the police surrounded it.

Inspector Brennan arrested Louis Miller, brother of the head of the syndicate and the cashier of the concern, and took possession of $15,000 in cash. There were 40 employes at work in the offices and these were allowed to go. It was stated by Louis Miller to the police that the offices were then in the hands of ex-Sheriff Daly of Richmond, to whom, he said, the concern had assigned.

The charge upon which Miller was indicted was that of conspiring to defraud. The district attorney's office in Brooklyn has been at work on the case for some weeks.

Miller had been engaged for the past two years or so in offering his glittering inducements to the people to invest their money for him to make use of, but it has been only within the last month that by extensive advertising he managed to attract to his office daily hundreds of people who gathered in a long line and fought with each other for the opportunity to hand out their savings.

Even when the place was raided last night by the police a number of those around the office were waiting to deposit money with the Franklin Syndicate. The presence of the police caused great excitement. When they entered the offices, James Daly, ex-sheriff of Richmond county, to whom it was claimed the concern had assigned, was put off the premises. Daly has been in the employ of Miller for some time past.

Of the $15,000 taken possession of by the police something more than $6,000 in cash was found in the syndicate offices. From the record which the police had made of the day's deposits it was evident that a portion of the money had been removed from the offices, and Louis Miller was called upon to make an explanation. He at first refused, but on being threatened by the police said that Miss Annie Gory, an employe of the concern, who lived in a house adjoining the offices, had been given the possession of a large sum of money in the morning by the head of the firm.

The police went to the adjoining house and placed Miss Gory under arrest and after an extended search they found nearly $2,000 concealed in an old lounge in her apartment.

The woman then declared that she had this money in her possession for the purpose of paying the employes of the syndicate. The police, however, took possession of the money and gave Miss Gory her liberty.

Then general orders were sent out, and a search instituted for William F. Miller, head of the syndicate, and his secretary, Cecil Leslie.

William F. Miller began the Franklin Syndicate in a very small way, locating his office among the poorer classes in Brooklyn and making one feature of his business the acceptance of very small sums of money and the alleged investment of them for poor people. It is alleged that he claimed that by inside tips on the stock market he was able to reap large and quick profits, of which he was willing to pay a large percentage to his clients. Seemingly he paid the interest on the principal each week and his business increased.

Within the past few months he advertised extensively and in all parts of Brooklyn could be found people who could tell wonderful stories of the weekly dividends. Then some of the financial concerns in New York began to look into the business of the Franklin syndicate, and not only did many of the prominent financiers denounce as preposterous the offer of 10 per cent interest on money invested, but some of the banks refused to accept Miller's account or to do business with him.

It is claimed that Miller was simply the representative of a syndicate of men who had been engaged in conducting blind pools for years. It is asserted that the idea of paying unusually high rates of interest or unusually fascinating dividends originated with the blind pool project at Pittsburg several years ago.

After the failure of that concern similar operations were commenced in New York city and vicinity by the "Dean syndicate." Exposure and arrests resulted in scattering the various members of this syndicate, but some of them it is believed are still in New York. No syndicate has ever attempted to pay any such wonderful rates of interest as the Franklin syndicate. The very fact that the newspapers and financial circles began to make investigations aroused the public interest to such an extent, and at the same time in some quarters the public cupidity, that, it is said, within the last week.

Miller, it is alleged, has received deposits of hundreds of people, aggregating a daily amount of from $30,000 to $40,000. It is easy to see how, under these circumstances, the Franklin syndicate could pay out 10 per cent. of this amount a week and still make money.

Not only were the people living in greater New York large depositors with the syndicate, but cities all over the country contributed the earnings of scores of their residents to swell the wealth of the syndicate. The mail delivery daily at Miller's office amounted to about three wagon loads, and most of the letters contained money.

Miller had a faculty of displaying a large amount of his wealth, and the offices on Floyd street were piled high with greenbacks of all denominations, and heaps of gold. This seemed to lend confidence to those who came with their little subscriptions, and it is impossible to even estimate where the "endless chain" would have ended.

The principle of the endless chain as developed by Miller depended upon the fact that his old customers brought him additional members and were allowed a commission of 5 per cent. upon all moneys thus invested. Those who were drawing this income of 5 per cent. became walking advertisements for the Franklin syndicate.

For several weeks the United States postal department has had its trained investigators at work trying to catch Miller and his associates, but in vain.

Rev. Dr. Meredith of Brooklyn, a former pastor of Miller's, complained to the Brooklyn police that the man was ruining half of the young men of his congregation. Miller was formerly a member of Dr. Meredith's church, and became acquainted with many of the men belonging to the Sunday school and congregation.

LIKE TALES OF MONTE CRISTO.

On Tuesday of this week, just before charges of libel were preferred against Miller, he is said to have taken in $35,000 and paid out $31,000. The confidential representative of one of the banks who visited Miller's office about this time said that he never saw so much money scattered around loose in his life. He said that it reminded one of tales of Monte Cristo and Monte Carlo combined, but that as an absolute fact Miller did not have facilities for taking care of all the gold and greenbacks which poured in upon him, and empty barrels were brought up from the basement of the building in which he operated, and tens of thousands of dollars were dumped into these barrels by Miller's employes.

One of Miller's trusted employes stated that the Franklin syndicate had taken in over $4,000,000. It is known that when the banks shut down on Miller yesterday and refused to accept his deposits any longer he withdrew $150,000 from the Wells-Fargo bank. It is asserted tonight that Miller deposited $100,000 with the German consul.

Miller, who is very young and insignificant looking, possessed two positive characteristics—personal magnetism and frozen calmness. During the last two or three days, when his every movement has been watched by detectives and reporters, when crowds of depositors flocked to his establishment, he never lost his quiet ways or became angry.

He spent a few years with Heverin & Co., Wall street brokers, but never achieved much of a financial reputation there. His counsel, Col. Robert Ammon, claims that Miller in all of his methods has proceeded along lines strictly legitimate.

Tonight even after Miller had been denounced in the most unmeasured terms, probably 2000 persons gathered about the building. The doors of the office had been closed at 6 o'clock, but business was resumed shortly before 8. The would-be depositors were formed in a line by the police, reaching down the high stoop and 150 feet into the street. Business was carried on for 30 minutes. During that time 50 persons deposited money and not one drew out. This showed the confidence of Miller's public in his scheme.

Miller had not been found up to a late hour, and his wife said that she did not expect him back before Monday at least.

A receiver will be asked for, and what money can be reached will be restored to the subscribers of the syndicate.

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A "may-cure" cough medicine won't do. If it will "perhaps" do its work, it's worse than worthless. If it's good, it's worth ten times its price.

Do you know where to draw the line between the good and the bad? This testimonial should help

"I had a bad cough for six weeks and could not find any relief whatever. My little girl read about Ayer's Cherry Pectoral being such a wonderful remedy for coughs, so I bought a bottle. It relieved me at once. Before I had taken a quarter of a bottle my cough was entirely cured. I think it is the most wonderful cough mixture ever known."—L. HAWN, Newington, Ont., May 3, 1899.

Your doctor or druggist will bear us out. Three sizes: $1.00 size, cheapest in the long run; 50c. size, just the thing for a cold that "hangs on": 25c. size, for an ordinary, mean, disagreeable cold.

P. A. C. VICTORS

Second Team Easily Defeated Co. C

AT BASKET BALL LAST NIGHT

Bill Neville to Play With Milford

The Company C basket ball team received a terrible defeat last evening at the armory at the hands of the clever P. A. C. second team. The militia boys were played to a standstill, the score at the close of the game standing 32 to 0 in favor of the athletes from Pawtucketville.

The only "Connie" Cronin was the hero of the game. "Connie" is the making of a fine basket ball player and his work last night was nothing if not marvelous. Cronin succeeded in caging ten goals from the floor, a remarkable performance, he thus scoring 20 of the 32 points tallied by his team. "Connie" who is a favorite with every one with whom he has ever come in contact, is all right.

In fact the whole P. A. C. team without exception, played a fine game from start to finish, and their team work was simply superb and Manager Brown is to be congratulated on the clever aggregation he has collected together.

Jack Hanlon caged four goals from the floor and young Riordan caged two. Kelley and Howe, the P. A. C. guards, carried their men admirably.

For the militia team, the best work was done by Kittredge and Livingston.

The line-up and summary was as follows:

P. A. C.	CO. C.
Cronin, lf	rg, Going
(Capt.) Hanlon, rf	lg, Kelsey
Riordan, c	c, Livingston
Kelley, lg	rf, Berry
Howe, rg	lf, Kittredge (capt.)

Score, A. C., 32, Company C, 0; goals caged by Cronin (10), Hanlon (4), Riordan (2); foul called on Howe; referee, Hugh J. Thomas and Dexter; timekeepers, Joseph Fitzgerald and Walter Bagshaw; time, 2-20 minute halves.

WESTGATE CHAPTER.

A pleasant social was enjoyed by the members of Westgate Chapter of Epworth League, of the Central M. E. church at the residence of David True on Lincoln street.

The great feature of the evening was the Mystic Band who were arrayed in fantastic costumes and whose instruments were combs. The musicians rendered "Auld Lang Syne." Miss Susan Meredith was the leader and the other members were Daisy MacBrayne, George MacDonald, Elizabeth Meredith Blanche Pead, Grace Pead, Claude Lightborn, A. Belle Duncan, Annie True, Mollie True and Willie Dennett. There were also readings by Misses Ethel Clark and Ethel Hall and vocal solos by Charles Thomas, while Mr. MacDonald and Miss MacBrayne charmed their auditors with a duet entitled "Reuben and Cynthia." At the conclusion of the entertainment there was an auction sale of old maids, Geo. MacDonald acting in the capacity of auctioneer. Refreshments were served during the evening.

PLEASANT SOCIAL.

A pleasant social was held last evening at the home of Mr. P. J. Farrell on Adams street which was attended by about 100 young people. Dancing and other amusements were enjoyed during the evening, and there was also some fine singing. Refreshments were served and it was a late hour when the affair came to a close. The affair was managed by the Easy club who are to have a sleighride party within two months.

LOWELL COMMANDERY

TO HOLD A REINSTITUTION.

In the early part of January, next year, at the first regular convocation of Lowell Commandery, Knights of Malta, one of the most notable events in local fraternal history is scheduled to take place. At this time there will be a reinstitution of the commandery, at which time all of the degrees will be conferred in two nights.

The reinstitution is made imperative by the number of members waiting for the higher degrees coupled with the steady influx of applicants for membership, the degrees generally being of such length that it is absolutely impossible for the staff to keep pace with the constantly increasing number of candidates. The reinstitution will be held under a special dispensation from the grand commandery and will mark the formal closing of the charter, which has been open since the inception of the commandery, one year ago last August. After the date the cost of the degrees will be nearly treble what it is at the present.

Eleven of the degrees will be worked in abbreviated form, while the 12th or red cross degree and sepulchre will be worked in full by the staff of the local commandery, which has been organized this week. It is believed that the whole work can be given in this way in two nights. The paraphernalia for the red cross degree is extremely elaborate and costly and the degree itself is most impressive. From present indications there will be nearly 100 candidates for the degrees by that time.

Lowell Commandery is now 15 months old and embraces in its membership some of the representative business and professional men of the city.

Everybody's liable to itching piles. Rich and poor, old and young—terrible the torture they suffer. Only one sure cure. Doan's Ointment. Absolutely safe; can't fail.

£ XMAS CHECKS. £

Remittances for Christmas. Send through Murphy's steamship agency, 18 Appleton street, payable in Ireland, England, Scotland and all over Europe. 30 years in the business in the same place. Opposite the postoffice.

D. MURPHY.

Vote for T. Frank Clark for the council, ward five.

Eyesight by absorption. Dr. Taylor.

MRS. C. P. BACHELDER,
A Well-known Pawtucket Woman Whose Story Appears Below.

MADE HER MISERABLE

What Indigestion did for a Well-Known Pawtucket Woman.

Sleeplessness and Fainting Spells Afflicted Her but Disappeared when Her Stomach Trouble was Conquered.

So far does the health of the body depend upon the digestive system that some of the worst ills of mankind are often to be traced directly to a derangement of the stomach. Correct this so that the body can be nourished in the natural way and there is soon no need of medicine. On the other hand a neglected case of indigestion invariably leads to the most unhappy results.

Mrs. C. P. Bachelder, of 87 Mason Street, Pawtucket, R. I., a woman who is well and favorably known throughout the community, tells of an experience that may be a guide to many others. She says:

"About three years ago I was afflicted with stomach trouble and indigestion. This brought on sleeplessness and fainting spells. My nervous system was all run down and I was miserable most of the time. I had been under a doctor's treatment without perceptible benefit and seeing Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People advertised, I decided to try them. I did so and before I had finished the first box I found that they were helping me. My color began to improve, the insomnia disappeared and my nerves became stronger.

"I continued taking the pills for about a year, although not regularly all of that time. I can truly say that Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People have helped me more than any other medicine I ever took, and they have been of great benefit to my husband, who has had two strokes of paralysis. I have recommended the pills to a large number of people who have also been helped by them."

(Signed) MRS. C. P. BACHELDER.

All the elements necessary to give new life and richness to the blood and restore shattered nerves are contained, in a condensed form, in Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. Mrs. Bachelder owes her life, health and happiness to this wonderful remedy, and although your case may not resemble hers, Dr. Williams' Pink Pills will help you because they act upon the nerves as well as the blood. They banish the unpleasant symptoms that make the lives of seven-tenths of the women of this country almost unbearable. A few of these symptoms are severe headache, loss of appetite, pale or sallow complexion, palpitation of the heart, swollen ankles or legs, nervousness, offensive breath, etc. The sufferer may exhibit one or more of these symptoms, or may have all. They simply indicate the ravages disease has made upon the system, and the more of these symptoms the patient shows, the greater the necessity for prompt and persistent treatment, until they have been banished. To accomplish this end, Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People are the only unfailing remedy. They positively cure all suppressions and irregularities, which, if neglected, inevitably entail sickness and trouble.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are sold in packages only, and full directions printed in English, French and German, are wrapped around each box. Your druggist sells them.

LOWELL ORCHESTRAL SOCIETY.

Tomorrow afternoon, the first recital, is held by the Orchestral society, assisted by the great prima donna, Miss Caroline Goodhue Clark of Boston and Mr. R. McDaniels, cornet soloist. The very best of solo talent has been engaged for the remaining recitals. If any one has neglected to secure his season ticket, costing $3.00, with the same two reserved seats for the whole season, he will find some good seats left at Austin's Music Store, Bridge street, until 10 o'clock tonight. To know where your seat is and to be sure of it is far better than trusting to the uncertain chances of a 25 cent admission.

Vote for T. Frank Clark for the council, ward five.

SORE FEET

Cured by corns, bunions, or callouses, quickly cured by using WAKEFIELD'S FIR BALSAM SALVE. Price, 25c.

Goodale's Drug Store, cor. Central and Jackson Streets.

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CENTRAL STREET, LOWELL.

Jackets, Suits and Ready Made Garments. Last week's mark down resulted in large sales. Still further reduction of prices Friday and Saturday.

Tan Kersey Jackets, silk lined, $9.98, were $14.00.

Braided Kersey Jackets, silk lined, $7.98, were $12.50.

Black Cheviot Coats, high neck, $9.98, were $14.00.

Kersey Coats, variety of colors, silk lined, $7.98 were $10.00.

Electric Seal Jackets from $12.98 to $65.00.

Bead Trimmed Velour Jackets, tight fitting.

Skinner's satin lined at $12.50 and $16.50, nothing like them in town.

Plaid Skirts $3.98, were $5.00.

17 Fine Tailor made Suits, positively this season's styles, from $16.00 to $35.00, every one marked down, to close out.

Other suits at $8.50, $10.00, $10.98 and $12.50, every one a bargain.

Camel's Hair tunic Skirts and venetian cloth. Skirts with box plaited backs, the very latest; only $5.98.

Fur Scarfs from $1.25 up to $7.50, with mink scarfs with real mink tails at $6.50.

Two new lines of Mackintoshes, one at $2.49 and one at $5.00, warranted.

Trimmed Velvet Hats marked down to $2.39 to close out every one; cost double the money.